

## The Weather

Rather cloudy, windy and cold tonight. Lows tonight 25-30. Thursday fair, becoming milder in afternoon.

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# Death of Boys in Lake Erie Emphasizes Plea for Caution



Roland Riemer, 13



David L. Hahn, 13

CLEVELAND, April 12—(AP)—Grief-stricken parents arranged funerals today for four boys who died in a raft on Lake Erie.

And a Coast Guard captain warned other youngsters who live near the shore: "For God's sake have respect for water and wind."

Captain James A. Hirshfield, Great Lakes Coast Guard chief, made the fervent plea for carelessness after his men conducted tragically one of the biggest rescue attempt operations ever made on Lake Erie.

A 16-hour search, started at dusk Monday, ended late yesterday morning when the thin clad bodies of four Euclid Boy Scouts, blue from cold, were found huddled together in a war-surplus raft.

The victims were William J.

VonHof, 14, Richard Bauer, 14, David Lee Han, 13, and Roland Riemer, 13.

Their little craft, partly filled with water washed inside by waves that reached 14 feet during the night, first was spotted by a

## Hope Fades for Americans in Shanghai

WASHINGTON, April 12—(AP)—Secretary of State Acheson said today all plans have been abandoned to remove some 2,000 Americans and other foreigners from Shanghai by sea. He blamed difficulties with the Chinese Communists.

Acheson told a news conference that efforts will be made to get Communist permission to move the refugees to a North China

Flying Fortress piloted by Capt. Robert W. Hoekman of Grand Rapids, Mich., and assigned here from Selfridge Air Force Base, Michigan.

The raft was about 25 miles northeast of where the boys took

port or to the British colony of Hongkong.

For more than two months, the State Department has been pressing the Communists to approve arrangements for the departure of the foreigners from Shanghai. Among them are some 300 Americans and 450 British citizens.

The Americans include United States diplomatic and consular staffs who have been ordered out

off in pursuit of a drifting canoe. With two small wooden paddles—one broken—they were unable to get back to shore against the wind.

W. R. Carle, Lake County coroner, estimated the boys died around 4 A. M. from exposure. The lake water temperature was about 36 degrees, and Meteorologist C. George Andrus agreed with Carle that water that cold could kill quickly. All the boys were barefoot and they wore only cotton T-shirts and jeans.

After the raft was sighted from the plane, the final step in the rescue was attended by confusion, for the plane had no direct communication with the searching boats. Messages had to be relayed through the airport from the B-17 to the Coast Guard, and the big bomber lost sight of the raft for

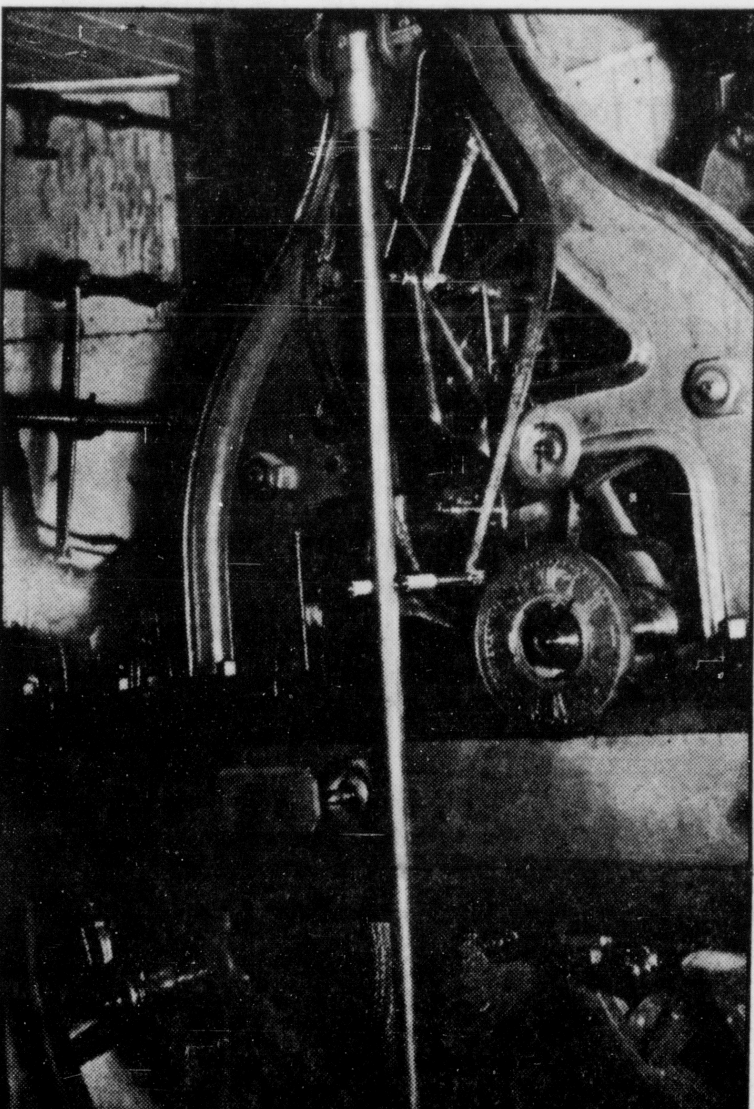


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## Court House Clock To Be Modernized



THIS MAY LOOK LIKE JUST A JUMBLE OF WHEELS, gears and rods, but it all is really what has kept Washington C. H. and Fayette County a well regulated community for more than half a century—the "works" of the Court House clock. The heart of the big old timepiece is ticking its last, if the well laid plans of the county commissioners to modernize the clock materialize. The photo above shows the pendulum rod through the center. A miniature clock on the side of the mechanism shows the same time as that carried on the four faces in the tower high above. The huge striking bell is in the tower, midway between the "works" and the dials.

"Old Ben" the Court House clock, is going to have its face lifted.

It is also going to have to have some new innards, and a 2,000 pound striking weight which always has been more or less of a menace to public safety, is to be taken down.

In fact, the old Court House clock is to be gone over thoroughly and electrified, at an approxi-

## Meanderinas

By Wash Fayette

The silver plated spade used Tuesday in the ground breaking ceremony on the site of the new Armco plant has its own history etched on its blade.

For 40 years, the spade has been linked with the progress of the Armco Steel Corporation.

Frequently called "the spade that dug a fortune," its blade is engraved with the dates, places, and events which are milestones of Armco's history.

Each turn of the spade has meant the beginning of a new plant or mill. It has meant the creation of jobs for men and women.

The Silver Spade was first used in 1910 at the ground breaking ceremony for the construction of Armco's East Works plant in Middletown.

Because that event was of great importance to Armco and to Middletown, the spade which had been used was later plated with chromium to preserve it. The date and details of the event were engraved upon the blade. Since that time the gleaming spade has dug deep into the soils of Ohio, Kentucky and Texas, wherever a new Armco unit was being built.

The many markings on its highly polished surface indicate that Armco has done much building since 1910. Armco folks say, "There's plenty more digging in the Silver Spade."

# RUSSIAN CHARGES JUST BUNK

## Ex-Communist Backs McCarthy

Taft Gets in Scrap Over Spy Charges

MIDLAND, Mich., April 12—(AP)—Ex-Communist Louis Budenz, who may have an answer to the Sen. McCarthy-Owen Lattimore dispute, says that he could name 400 "concealed" Communists in the United States.

"But I won't do it," he declared here last night. "I can't afford libel suits."

The former managing editor of the Communist Daily Worker was in Midland for a lecture. While here, he was notified of a subpoena to appear before a Senate subcommittee investigating McCarthy's charge that Lattimore is a Soviet agent.

Budenz, named as McCarthy's "mystery witness," would offer no comment on the dispute. But he did say that he had never met, talked with, or given documents to McCarthy.

"In justice to the investigating committee," he said, "I cannot say anything further."

McCarthy has indicated that he hoped Budenz's sworn testimony will show the committee that Lattimore is a Communist. Testimony given before such a group cannot be used as a basis for libel charges.

## TAFT GETS IN SCRAP

WASHINGTON, April 12—(AP)—Senator Taft (R-Ohio) demanded today that President Truman "eliminate any suspicion of treason" from the administration "if he can."

Taft, chairman of the Senate Republican policy committee, also accused Mr. Truman of libeling Senator McCarthy (R-Wis) and of prejudging McCarthy's charges of Communism in the State Department.

As Taft let fly at the president, the stage was set for former Communist Louis Budenz and Owen Lattimore, Far Eastern affairs specialist and John Hopkins professor, to confront each other at a public hearing April 20.

McCarthy had said Budenz will swear he knew Lattimore to be a member of the Communist party. Lattimore denies it.

Lattimore testified under oath last week he never has been a Communist and he never has promoted the cause of Communism. He also flatly denied McCarthy's

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## Bomber Crash At Secret Base Fatal to 13

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., April 12—(AP)—A B-29 bomber carried all 13 airmen aboard to almost certain death in a crash last night into Sandia Secret Weapons Base.

The air force said all are presumed dead. It drew a tight security curtain on the tragedy in a remote area of the atomic bomb assembly installation.

Newsmen were barred from entering the area, a spot 7,000 feet high in the Manzano Mountains. The scene is some five miles east of Sandia headquarters and 17 miles east of downtown Albuquerque.

A road block was thrown across the only trail leading into the area, just off Transcontinental U. S. Highway 66.

Darkness and rugged country prevented immediate determination of whether any survived.

The likelihood any escaped seemed remote. The giant strategic air command plane from Walker Base at Roswell, N. M., plunged to the ground and burned three minutes after it took off from nearby Kirtland Field.

## New Charge Made By Columbus Mayor

COLUMBUS, April 12—(AP)—Mayor James A. Rhodes, of Columbus, said today the some former welfare department employee who sold the state soda crystals also sold it 4,800 mops.

In a formal statement the Republican candidate for the nomination for governor said:

"The purchase of 400 dozen mops is but another phase in the studied plan of corruption in this department."

Rhodes said the mops were bought from Mutual Chemical and Supply Company of Columbus, co-owned by John P. Moore, former soap consultant in the state welfare department. Moore was fired the day after Rhodes disclosed the purchase of soda crystals for use in making soap for the state's penal institutions.

Gov. Frank J. Lausche had this to say to Rhodes' latest blast: "I'm certain his statement will be found to be just as baseless as others he has made."

## Dead Men in Prominent Roles In Illinois Primary Elections

CHICAGO, April 12—(AP)—Death and dead men played parts in the Illinois primary election yesterday.

The late Rep. Ralph E. Church, who died in Washington of a heart attack March 21, received the most votes in the race for Republican representative from the 13th district. There were several write-in candidates. Church's widow received many votes although she was not a candidate. She has been mentioned as a possible choice of the Republican district congressional committee, which still select the nominee for the November election. Church was serving his seventh term in the House.

In Havana, the Republican nomination for Macon County treasurer was voted to Lloyd M. Kramer, who died two weeks ago. His name had not been taken off the ballot.

In Chicago, State Rep. David I. Swanson, 61, dropped dead of a heart attack last night while he

was being congratulated on leading his district Republican ticket for renomination. He had served in the state assembly for 12 years.

Former Rep. Everett M. Dirksen, who retired last year after serving 16 years, won the Republican nomination for the 12th district.

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And it's more vicious than either, the agency adds. "We've run into the coyote-dog

## Truman Happy After 5 Years

Rugged Campaign In Offing, Is Tip

WASHINGTON, April 12—(AP)—President Truman ends his fifth year in office today in what his friends describe as a confident, "happy warrior" mood.

The sun-tanned president, fresh from a vacation in Florida apparently is ready to carry to the people a counter-offensive against Republican attacks on his secretary of state and other GOP assaults.

Picturing the president as in vigorous health, Senator Lucas of Illinois, the Democratic leader, gave a reporter this description of Mr. Truman:

"He is confident and in a happy frame of mind. He thinks conditions throughout the country are good. He thinks world problems are not insoluble. He is ready to fight for his program."

## Republican Reaction

A Republican reaction to Mr. Truman was expressed by Senator Brewster of Maine, chairman of his party's senatorial campaign committee.

"We wish Mr. Truman—but not his program—a long life," Brewster said. "We still consider him the Republicans' best asset."

"We think it is obvious that he is going to campaign for a Truman Congress, since the Democratic 81st Congress has been no better, from his standpoint, than the Republican 80th. We welcome him into the battle on those terms."

Just about the time he is celebrating his 66th birthday next May 8 Mr. Truman will be heading westward for the first political stumping of a campaign patterned after his surprisingly successful drive for the presidency in 1948.

The president's friends and foes agree generally that this tour into the middle and far west—ending with a party rally in Chicago May 15—will give the country some idea what to expect from this year's campaign.

## TRIBUTES TO FDR

HYDE PARK, N. Y., April 12—(AP)—Five years have passed since Franklin D. Roosevelt's death, but as many as 3,000 persons daily still visit his grave.

Today—the anniversary of the late president's death—the events of his life will be recalled once more in a special memorial service at the grave.

The Rev. Gordon L. Kidd, rector of St. James Episcopal Church here, which Mr. Roosevelt attended during his lifetime, will conduct the service.

The service is open to the public. The small fee ordinarily charged to look after the Roosevelt home and library will not be in effect for the day.

The occasion focused attention on this landscaped burial spot beside the Hudson River—which has

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## Coyote-Dog Hybrid Outdoor Menace

WASHINGTON, April 12—(AP)—A new beast of prey, cunning and cruel, has appeared in the Adirondack Mountains and in other widely-scattered areas of the United States.

A coyote-dog hybrid, it is swift and one of its forebears, the dog, and even more wary than the other, the keenly intelligent coyote, says the Fish and Wildlife Service.

And it's more vicious than either, the agency adds. "We've run into the coyote-dog

hybrid before," said Clifford C. Presnall, assistant chief of the service's predator control division. "A few years ago it became a menace in Kentucky but we put on a control campaign and cleaned it out."

"But now, in the Adirondacks it seems for the first time to have become a fairly stabilized type—a type that has been breeding for several generations. Hunting techniques used against coyotes in the thinly-populated west cannot safely be used in the more

heavily settled east."

In the west, the prolific coyote is kept in check by hard-riding ranchers and forest rangers who hunt him down from the air in small planes, chase him to earth with Greyhounds and fast horses or plant poison pellets in the carcasses of dead animals on which he might feed.

But even if these methods could be used in the Adirondacks, government experts are not sure they would work with the coyote, doyoote, coyog or whatever you want to call the cross-breed.



OFFICIAL DENIALS OF RUSSIAN CHARGES that an American four-engine military plane exchanged gunfire with Red fighter aircraft over Soviet Latvia April 8 are made by the U. S. Navy and Air Force in Washington. Moscow claimed the U. S. plane flew 13 miles into Latvia south of Lepavoy and was driven out to sea after opening fire on Red fighters. The Moscow announcement followed disappearance the same day of an unarmed U. S. Navy patrol bomber carrying 10 persons on a routine flight from Wiesbaden to Copenhagen. After the Wiesbaden plane vanished, flares were seen near the Swedish island of Gotland and an oil slick was sighted near Oland island (International)

## School Cafeterias End Current Year in Black

For the first time in at least eight years, the cafeterias in city schools did not end up the year in the red.

Reporting to the city school board Tuesday night, Superintendent Stephen Brown said that the high school and Eastside cafeterias, which were closed as of March 31, managed to end the year with a \$870.54 balance.

At the beginning of the year,

he pointed out, the cafeteria fund was in the red to the tune of \$109.23.

## Convicted Robbers Fail in Jail Break

CLEVELAND, April 12—(AP)—Two former taxicab drivers who tried to break out of county jail a few hours after drawing 20-year penitentiary sentences for bank robbery were in solitary confinement today.

John Wesley Hux, 27, and Robert S. Andross, 24, rushed two deputies last night with "pistols" shaped of blackened soap, but one deputy, Tom Killen, tripped an alarm, and the pair fled to their cells.

Hux and Andross threw Killen to the floor when he came to their fourth-floor cell block. They shouted to 22 other inmates to "come along," but only one—Thomas Chalkier, 19, of Akron joined. Chalkier, awaiting trial for a Bedford grocery burglary, also returned to his cell at the clamor started by the alarm.

The attempted break followed by a few hours the sentencing of Hux, Andross and Richard S. Chamberlain, 22, to 20 years for bank robbery in the \$34,000 hold-up of the Superior Savings and Loan Association last January.

## No Armed Plane In Area, Retort

Life Raft Spotted On Baltic, Report

WASHINGTON, April 12—(AP)—A hot war with Russia as a result of an airplane shooting scrape or any other single incident is regarded by American diplomatic and military authorities as highly unlikely.

At the State Department and Pentagon, there was no inclination to treat lightly an official protest from Moscow that an American B-29 type bomber had violated Soviet territory in the Baltic area, fired on Russian fighter planes and been fired upon in return.

But neither was there so much as a suggestion that either country might want to go on from there to knock chips off shoulders.

U. S. officials indicated yesterday that the truth of the matter may be that an unarmed American Navy patrol plane, missing since Saturday, was shot down by Russian fighters.

Likely Developments

The next steps appear to be: A tartly worded rejection of the Russian protest. A complaint of our own that the Soviets evidently shot down an unarmed American plane. A sharpening of tension and a further deterioration of relations, just as there were when Russia blockaded Berlin. Additional exchanges of angry notes.

Yet officials here say we certainly don't want to pick a fight with anyone and they have an idea the Russians want to avoid one within the foreseeable future.

They reason that since World War II the Reds have pushed the frontiers of Communism forward here and there without using military force and probably will want to see how far they can go with the process. So they look for continued Russian probing for weak spots, continued pressure short of use of arms.

If the Russians did knock down the missing U. S. patrol plane, the Moscow protest could be viewed as an application of theory that a good offense is the best defense.

LIFE RAFT SPOTTED

WIESBADEN, Germany, April 12—(AP)—A rescue plane searching for a missing U. S. Navy patrol plane with 10 crewmen aboard spotted a life raft today near the Danish island of Bornholm in the Baltic Sea.

The first report radioed back to U. S. Air Force headquarters at Wiesbaden said an object which seemed to be wearing an "exposure suit"—protective apparel for aviators—was lying in the raft.

Rescue boats and an amphibious plane capable of landing on the water were rushed toward the

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50 Reported Saved After Ship Blasted

NEW YORK, April 12—(AP)—One person was feared lost, but 50 others were reported saved today from a terrific explosion and fire which ravaged a Norwegian ship in mid-Atlantic.

The coast guard said radio messages from an Italian rescue ship reported 40 crewmen and 10 passengers of the blast-racked freighter Geisha had been picked up from lifeboats.

The first mate of the 5,113-ton Geisha was reported missing. His name was not given.

The rescue ship, The Maria Paolina G., radioed that the Geisha was carrying a cargo of nitrates, a high explosive, when first in a series of blasts rocked the ship about noon yesterday.



### Forest Shade Grange Entertained by Kids

A program put on by the juvenile Grange was the highlight of the regular meeting of the Forest Shade Grange in New Martinsburg Tuesday night.

After reinstating Mrs. Honor Patton into the Grange and voting two appeals for aid, the members settled down for the evening's entertainment.

Starting off the parade of youngsters was Melanie Handley with a welcome piece.

Piano solos were rendered by Carolyn Rose Carson, Dale Edward Wilson and Ruth Ann Carson.

Barbara Riley read a poem, and a duet was sung by Bonnie Washburn and Francis Hicks, accompanied by Joyce Ann Ritter.

An exercise was presented by Carol Handley, Carolyn Rose Carson, Karen Sue Marshall, Janet Knebler and Janet Lou Ritter.

In addition to the program put on by the youngsters, the members viewed films of the Greenfield Sequentiennial shown by Dr. Martin Byers of Greenfield.

He also showed pictures of travel tours he has made.

The committee in charge of refreshments for the evening consisted of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. David Winegar, Mr. and Mrs. George Mowmaw, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rowland, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wright, Mrs. Belle Podhunter and Mrs. Alma Rose.

### Albert J. Walker Dies at Home Here

Albert J. Walker, 81, died at his late home at 223 West Market Street at 1 A. M. Wednesday following a long period of ill health. He had been seriously ill for a week.

Born in Highland County, he moved to South Salem then to Washington C. H. 40 years ago and has been a resident of Fayette County since that time.

A cabinet maker, he ran a shop here until a short time ago. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge and the Presbyterian Church.

Besides his widow, he leaves a son, William R. Walker of Villa Park, Ill., a granddaughter and three brothers, George of Amarillo, Tex., Ralph of Hollywood, Calif. and William of Sarasota, Fla.

Funeral services will be held at 2 P. M. Friday at the Gerstner Funeral Home, with burial to follow in the family lot of the Washington Cemetery.

Friends may call at the Gerstner Funeral Home after 7 o'clock Wednesday evening.

### Truman Ends 5 Years

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drawn an average of half a million visitors a year since the president's death.

"During the tourist season, we often show the Franklin D. Roosevelt national historic site to more than 3,000 in one day," says George A. Palmer, park superintendent.

He says it is "surprising how little people knew" about Mr. Roosevelt personally.

"They all are familiar with his public and political life, but very few people are acquainted with the life he lived at home," Palmer said yesterday.

Mrs. Roosevelt, driving to Hyde Park to observe the fifth anniversary of her husband's death today, was shaken last night in a three-car accident.

Mrs. Roosevelt was being driven home from a session at the United Nations at Lake Success, where she is a U. S. delegate. She was riding in the front seat of her sedan with her chauffeur, Russell W. Linaka.

An oncoming machine struck another car immediately ahead of the sedan, and then sideswiped the rear of the Roosevelt auto.

**WATER TAX PLANNED**  
CHILLICOTHE — A 25 percent tax on city water bills to defray sewage disposal costs, is being considered by council.

### Mainly About People

Mrs. D. H. Rowe, 121 North North Street, was admitted to University Hospital, Columbus, Tuesday afternoon as a patient for observation and treatment.

Carl Strietzenberger, 1154 Rawlins Street, who entered Mt. Carmel Hospital, Columbus, Monday underwent surgery Tuesday for the removal of his right eye.

Mrs. Bessie Sanders, 906 East Temple Street, was admitted as a patient to University Hospital, Columbus, Tuesday afternoon, for observation and treatment.

Mrs. Harry McNutt was taken from her home, 619 Columbus Avenue, to Mt. Carmel Hospital, Columbus, Tuesday evening in the Gerstner ambulance.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Moyer moved Tuesday from 1119 1/2 Washington Avenue, to 56 Poplar Street, Bucyrus. Mr. Moyer is associated with the Producers Co-operative Association.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert T. Lord, nee Kathleen Morrow, of Levittown, Long Island, was born in Mercy Hospital, Rockville Centre, Long Island, instead of a Levittown Hospital as appeared in this column, Tuesday.

Mrs. Alfred Henderson and infant daughter, Rebecca Sue, were brought from Greenfield Hospital to the home of Mrs. Henderson's mother, Mrs. Thurman Anders, 320 Sixth Street, Tuesday evening in the Parrett ambulance.

Charles Fults, 707 Harrison Street, an employee of the Ohio Bell Telephone Company, is a patient in White Cross Hospital, Columbus, where he was taken Tuesday afternoon following an accident while at work, when he suffered fractures of both bones in his left leg, near the ankle.

Dr. A. D. Woodmansee X-rayed the injury and he was taken to the hospital in the Gerstner ambulance.

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### Wednesday 'T' Day For Census People

Wednesday was "T" day for census enumerators both in Washington C. H. and other cities scattered throughout the United States.

Corwin Carr, crew chief of the enumerators, said "T" day is set aside on a certain day to get a count of the transients, who can be found for the most part in hotels.

The enumerators made their checks of the Cherry and Washington Hotels from 5 P. M. Tuesday until 12 noon Wednesday. Forms were given to the transients to fill out. They could either hand the forms over to enumerators or send them in to the census bureau.

Meanwhile, a census count is underway in Fayette County and other parts of the nation. Carr said at least two and perhaps three districts in Washington C. H. should be completed this week.

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**Huge Mortgage  
Is Filed Here**

The Southern Ohio Electric Co., has filed a \$29,000,000 mortgage for recording in Fayette County. The huge mortgage, in book form, carries a recording fee of \$57 with it.

It is the third supplemental indenture of the Columbus and Southern Ohio Electric Co., to the City Bank Trust Co. creating an issue of first mortgage bonds \$2-80 per cent series, due in 1980.

The instrument is supplemental to indenture of mortgage and deed of trust dated Sept. 1, 1940.

**Two Drivers Cited  
Following Offenses**

Jackie Norman Pollard, 18, city, was cited by police on a charge of not having sufficient brakes, when his car was involved in a wreck at North North Street and Western Avenue. He posted \$25 bail.

Donald Elmer Ruth, city, posted \$10 bond on a charge of failing to stop for the red light at Court and Hinde Streets.

**School Cafeterias**  
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obtain estimates of the cost of the job.

During the meeting, the board members discussed briefly the matter of school insurance for damage and theft. It was pointed out by the members that the policies would be examined to find out just exactly what they do and do not cover, and that action should be taken to file

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claims on several minor damages and thefts during the past year. Further discussion was postponed until Robert Willis, school insurance consultant, could be present to go over the policies with the board.

Present at the meeting were Thomas Christopher, William Allen, Robert Craig, Richard Waters, Supt. Brown and Principal Arthur E. Wohlers.

**Red Spy Probe**  
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contention he is Russia's head spy in this country.

Lattimore said in a statement yesterday he does not know Budenz, and "to the best of my recollection I have never met him and have never been associated directly or indirectly with him."

Lattimore added he has no information as to what Budenz plans to tell the Senate foreign relations subcommittee investigating McCarthy's accusations.

The committee voted yesterday to subpoena Budenz next Monday, but later agreed to Budenz's request that his appearance be put off to April 20.

**Russian Charges**  
(Continued from Page One)  
raft—first possible clue to the lost plane since it disappeared Saturday on a flight from Frankfurt, Germany, to Copenhagen, Denmark.

Russia announced yesterday in a strongly-worded protest note to the U. S. that an American B-29 bomber had fired on a Soviet fighter plane over Latvia, on the Baltic Coast, Saturday and disappeared after the Red plane returned the fire.

American officials expressed the belief that the Russian note referred to the Navy plane—a four-engine, single-tail version of the B-24 bomber. They said the Navy plane was unarmed and had instructions not to fly over Soviet territory.

Search planes based at Copenhagen today extended their sweep over the Baltic to only 20 miles off the coast of Soviet-held Latvia.

The area where the life raft was sighted was near the spot where flares were seen Sunday night.

Air Force headquarters said the pilot of the search plane spotted what appeared to be a life raft and in which was an object which seemed to be wearing an "exposure suit."

He said also there were unidentified objects in the immediate area.

Exposure suits are especially designed apparel to protect fliers who are forced to bail out into icy water.

There were no indications whether the unidentified objects seen by Captain York were other life rafts or possibly wreckage from the plane.

Danish naval cutters were steaming to the scene. The air search squadron at Copenhagen

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### Markets

**Local Quotations**

**GRAIN**  
Wheat 2.13  
Corn 1.32  
Oats .83  
Soybeans 2.53

**BUTTER-EGGS-POULTRY**  
F. B. Co-op Quotations  
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Eggs 26c  
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Heavy Broilers 25c  
Leghorn Hens 12c  
Old Roosters 12c

**Livestock Prices**  
(FAYETTE COUNTY YARDS)  
WASHINGTON C. H.—Fayette Stock Yards—Hogs, 200-240 15.75; sows, 12.75 down

WASHINGTON C. H., April 12—(Producers Stockyards Tuesday Sale)—Number of consignors 120; hogs, receipts 599; market 25.50; lower than last week; 140-160 12.50; 160-180 15.15; 180-220 15.75; 220-240 15.50; 240-260 15.15; 260-280 14.75; 280-300 14.50; 300-320 14.15; 320-350 13.75; 350-400 13.75; roughs 11.25-13.75; stags 10; boars 7.80-9.25; feeder pigs, receipts 141; cwt. 11-15; head \$7-8.50.

Cattle, receipts 222; market steady to 50c higher than last week; no really good cattle on sale; good steers and heifers 24.50-26; medium 22.50-24.50; common 20-22.50; good butcher cows \$18-21; medium \$16-18; canner and good cows \$14-16; bulls 22-22.70; stockers and feeders \$24-26.

Calves, receipts 80; market steady with last week; choice \$28; good \$25-27; medium \$20-24; light \$18 down; outs \$12 down.

Sheep and lambs, receipts light; sent a U. S. Navy Catalina flying boat as well.

Bornholm is about 300 miles southwest of Latvia.

**MISTAKE, IS BELIEF**  
COPENHAGEN, Denmark, Apr. 12—(AP)—Danish naval authorities today said the pilot of a Danish rescue plane reported he believes U. S. airmen were mistaken when they reported sighting a liferaft northeast of Bornholm Island.

The report said the pilot had circled the spot when an American B-17—seeking a missing U. S. Naval patrol plane with 10 crewmen aboard—earlier had reported sighting a raft. It said the Danish pilot saw only a buoy placed at a spot where the Russians a year ago dropped thousands of tons of mustard gas.

**SWEDEN PROTESTS**  
STOCKHOLM, April 12—(AP)—Sweden sent mild protest to the U. S. embassy here today against violation of her territory by U. S. rescue planes searching for an American Navy patrol plane.

The foreign office said that some rescue planes had passed over "the forbidden area around Karlskrona," Sweden's biggest naval base on the Baltic.

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## The Nation Today

(Editor's note: This is the second of five stories explaining the fight over the Hoover Commission's proposal to lump the VA hospital program in with other government hospital programs.)

BY JAMES MARLOW  
WASHINGTON, April 12—(AP)—Briefly, this is what the Hoover Commission, headed by former President Hoover, thought should be done about hospitals run by the Veterans Administration (VA).

It thought they should be combined into one government hospital system together with the hospitals run by the army, navy and public health service. The commission said:

The federal government is attempting to give varying degrees of direct medical care to 24,000,000 people.

This includes about 18,500,000 veterans. At one extreme of those receiving medical care are members of the armed forces, their dependents, merchant seaman and other lesser groups totaling upwards of 3,000,000.

They are eligible for almost complete medical care. At the other extreme are about 2,000,000 employees of the federal government. They are eligible for medical care only for industrial accidents and out-patient service of the industrial hygiene type. . .

The commission said: "More than half of the departments and agencies of the federal government conduct medical or health activities. These agencies compete for doctors and other technical personnel, and funds.

"There is no central supervision of their activities; and they operate under diverse policies with respect to quality of treatment, types of beneficiaries served, types of research, and areas of authority."

The government has around the country various army and navy and VA hospitals with a total of about 175,000 beds. The VA alone has 131 hospitals with 113,000 beds and 98,000 veterans in them.

(VA is building more hospitals and, when finished, will have 131,000 beds in 174 hospitals.)

One congressman recently said that, under the present set-up, a veterans' hospital might be crowded, with a waiting list, while a nearby military hospital has empty beds.

Can a veteran get into one of those beds, since it's not in a VA hospital? He can if VA has a contract for a bed like that. VA now has contracts covering 5,300 beds in hospitals of the armed services. Next year it will have only 3,000 or so.

The Hoover Commission recommended that all the government hospitals—except the prison hospitals—be placed in the hands of a brand new agency to be called the United Medical Administration.

The head of this would be an appointed administrator. He'd have the help of a board made up of representatives of the army, navy, air force, and VA, but—

This board's power, under the recommendation, would be advisory only. For that reason former President Hoover dissented from the recommendation to the extent of suggesting such a board have power to set policy for carrying out the medical program.

Would there be any future connection between a veteran and the VA, which was created to look after his needs, if the VA's hospitals were taken over by a new agency?

Under the Hoover Commission's plan the veterans still would have to go to the VA to be certified—that is, to get approval or clearance—before being admitted to the hospital.

### U. S. Arms To Be Sent To Halt Thailand Reds

BANGKOK, April 12—(AP)—The United States has granted \$10,000,000 worth of arms and other military aid to a Thailand threatened by communism, Premier Pibul Songgram disclosed today. This was the first concrete manifestation of decisions reached at the Bangkok conference in February.

## The Purpose of Farm Bureau

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## Rotarians Are Hosts To 4-H Club Advisors

Prof. J. F. Mount Is Speaker—Tells of Club Objectives

Building good citizenship through 4-H Clubs was the predominating theme which proved of unusual interest in the program presented at Tuesday's luncheon of the Washington Rotary Club at the Country Club.

It was rural-urban day, an annual event with the Rotary Club here. Ray Brandenburg of the community service committee was in charge of the program and he planned something different.

As a result 4-H club advisors and assistants of this county were honored guests with four regular members of such clubs acting as special guests, two first year club members and two who had been members for eight years. Boys and girls from 10 to 20 years of age are eligible for membership.

The first two were little 10 year old Susan Draw and Bobby Montgomery, 11. The two who had been 4-H club members for 8 years were Kay Morter and Jerry Corry.

The speaker introduced by Brandenburg was John T. Mount, supervisor of 4-H clubs in 32 western Ohio counties. He is a professor at Ohio State University.

Prof. Mount, after introducing the four young people, and having them repeat what their various projects had been, told the audience many interesting things about the objectives of the organization.

"The 37 clubs now operating in Fayette County are perfect examples of little democracies in action," he declared. "The members are taught that loyalty to their home and community mean strength."

He related that the purpose of 4-H clubs are to build citizens who are responsible, loyal, know how to work and have faith in a democratic way of life. These are the four objectives. He explained that the 4-H club pledge means, "Head-to greater thinking; Heart-to greater loyalty; Hands-to larger service and Health-to better living for club, community and country. He quoted the 4-H club motto, "To make the best better."

The speaker made an earnest plea for community interest and support for these young people. "It will mean that the kind of citizenship thus being built will yield more for your home community," he declared.

W. W. Montgomery, county agricultural extension agent, Albert G. Cobb, associate agent and Mrs. Norman Campbell, home demonstration agent, were present and were introduced. Montgomery in his talk referred to the fact that there were 630 club members in Fayette County.

At the conclusion of Prof. Mount's talk President Paul Pennington gave the speaker assurance of the Rotary Club's interest in what these young people and their advisors were doing and thanked the guests for providing a very interesting program.

Belford Carpenter and Ansel

### Board and Room

By Gene Ahern



Kirkpatrick were given the regular birthday song salute.

Incoming student guest, Everett Campbell was introduced by Howard Fogle and Bill Cotner, outgoing guest, expressed his thanks to the club for the pleasure of having been a guest for the past two weeks.

## Armco President To Speak Here in June

Plans are being made for the annual membership meeting of the Washington C. H. Chamber of Commerce, to be held June 7 at the Country Club.

W. W. Sebald, president of the Armco Steel Corporation, has been engaged as the principal speaker for the occasion.

One of the items of business which will be disposed of at the meeting will be the election of new board members. Members of the nominating committee for the officers include Frank Baker, chairman, A. H. Newberry, O. W. Landrum, Bob Craig and George Severs.

Another committee which has been appointed is the Fayette County Safety Committee. Neil Hercules is the chairman. On his committee are Mac Dews, Walter Patton, James Carter, Tom Mark and Robert Brubaker.

Charles Hise has been appointed as counselor to handle local balloting for U. S. Chamber of Commerce directors.

### Burns Prove Fatal

PORTSMOUTH, April 12—(AP)—Burns received March 28 when kerosene used to kindle a fire exploded proved fatal yesterday to John Willard Cotten, 34, postmaster at Garrison, Ky., he died in a Portsmouth hospital.

## GALL BLADDER

SUFFERERS FIND CURE FOR MISERY DUE TO LACK OF HEALTHY BILE  
New relief for gallbladder sufferers lacking healthy bile is seen today in announcement of a wonderful preparation which acts with remarkable effect. Sufferers with agonizing colic, stomach and gallbladder misery due to lack of healthy bile now tell of remarkable results after using this medicine which has amazing power to stimulate flow of healthy bile. **GALLUSIN** is a very expensive medicine, but considering results, the \$3.00 it costs is only pennies per dose. **GALLUSIN** (caution, use only as directed) is sold with full money back guarantee by Downtown Drug Store, Washington Court House - Mail Order - 4141

## Census To Show What's in Name

Spelling a Pitfall For Enumerators

By WILLIAM J. CONWAY  
Census takers are now making their rounds asking all of our names. Sounds like a simple job. But it really isn't.

Those who collect names as a hobby know that the census enumerators work in a field filled with pitfalls. So, it seems in order to give these enumerators some gratuitous advice.

Suppose, Mr. Enumerator, a fellow tells you he is John Burns. Don't let it go at that. His given name may not be John at all but Jan, Jon, Jhan — or even Ian.

And that "Burns" well could turn out to be Berns, Birns, Burnes or Bymes.

Of course, there is no need to warn you if you already know someone named Pearce, Pearce, Pearce, Pearce or just plain Pierce.

You can't be too careful about spelling. You'll run across many O'Keefes but don't run too fast lest you stumble on an O'Keefe. And—watch it now—you're likely to find both Waggoners and Wagners in Wagoner, Okla.

You'll learn that it's the little things that count. A relatively small number of citizens, Vera- Ellen Rohe among them, insist upon a hyphen.

You can print eden abbez in small letters from start to finish. He prefers it that way.

Names are something like clothing. People can wear any combination they wish. Edward Everett Horton and Edna St. Vincent Millay wear three on even the hottest days. Joe E. Brown and John L. Lewis wear the coat and pants, and leave the fancy vests—Evan and Llewellyn—at home.

Enumerators the last time out came up with some unique combinations indeed. Such as Carbon Petroleum Dubbs, Early Christmas Bennett and States Rights Finley.

Collectors will be poised to pounce on names distinctive as those. They'll be wondering, too, if times have made any changes in war-time names.

Remember two babies born the day the invasion of France began? One was called Invasia Mae Renfrow and the other Dee Day Edwards. There also was a lad christened SteVen. The "V", capitalized, was for victory.

When you ask some folks for



REV. JOE CALLENDER, the Hawaiian steel guitar player, is to continue to preach and entertain with his music at the Pilgrim Holiness Church on East Sixth Street here for another two weeks. Rev. C. H. Dett, the church pastor, said.

Services are held every night, starting at 7:30 o'clock.

Rev. Callender entertained on the stage as a guitarist and singer for 13 years before he added preaching to his program, Rev. Dett said.

their given names, they will tell you they haven't any. You'll just have to put down J. R. Boone and X.Y. Zeebuzter, and go on to the next question. There is nothing you or they can do about it now anyway.

One thing that will work in your favor is the law of averages. The long names and the short names will balance. For every Subrahmanyan Chandrasekhar there is a Casper Ooms. And for every Rexal Fearnelyough there is a Hugh Blue.

If you encounter Last Gale First, don't go into a routine that starts: "Give me your last name first." It's been done before. Just keep in mind that the First comes last.

The best way to avoid confusion is to take names one at a time. That system will stand you in good stead when you get

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## Is Our Thinking Losing Us Our Heritage?

In most of the substantial homes of Fayette County during the past few years there has been discussion to the effect that the greatest need in America today is to re-awaken that morally responsible, independent and self-respecting attitude toward life which in the past has been the foundation of our national structure.

Not only in this community is this idea being given serious consideration, but all over this free land more and more people are wondering what can be done to get our nation out of its confusion and its swing toward Socialism.

We often hear complaints that the homes and the schools are not doing all that should be done to promote right thinking along civic lines.

Sometimes we wonder if the church is doing its full job in this respect. Are churches approaching this problem of good citizenship with the vigor necessary to impress our young people? Are lessons along this line being brought home to youth understandingly.

Are young people being made to understand that decent and alert citizenship is a part of religion?

Not only adults, but somehow American youth must learn what's right and what's wrong. Otherwise we are giving our youth only HALF A CHANCE.

Many people are interested to learn that the far-seeing leadership in the churches of the country see this problem and is making some effort to do something about it.

It has come to our attention that the International Council of Religious Education, a non-sectarian organization, operating under a congressional charter, is getting behind an increasingly effective national program of education in religion and morals which is influencing the lives of 21,000,000 children and young people.

Many distinguished men are behind this plan. Under the leadership of this organization, 40 denominations and 729 other affiliated agencies are uniting in this effort to meet the threat of a downward trend in our national life.

What chance has the right against the wrong if youth is led by those who purposefully or unwittingly sow the careless thought

which yield heedless actions that corrupt character, subvert democratic ideals and deny every good influence of Christian heritage?

Our young people have only HALF A CHANCE if they grow up in homes where parents think that a warm bed, three daily square meals and plenty of pocket money are sufficient for any "kid".

It is alarming to learn from statistics that only one child in two in the United States is receiving any formal religious instruction. Decent, straight-thinking good citizenship is a part of such instruction. These young people with only HALF A CHANCE face a prospect of growing up without the moral and religious influences essential to a knowledge of the RIGHT, without sound standards for meeting the baffling problems in human relations which, wrongly met, may cripple character for life.

The future of this nation lies with our more than 100,000,000 boys and girls like our young people in Fayette County. In our American tradition we crave for every child these blessings: enough to eat, adequate housing and clothes, ample facilities for recreation, opportunity to study in good schools, the best medical care and freedom of opportunity as they come of age.

But this is not all our children need. It gives them only HALF A CHANCE.

Where will they attain that wholesome character if the homes, the schools and the churches do not do their proper job toward teaching young people to grow into moral maturity, develop emotional stability, fulfill their civic obligations, guard the rights of others as their own, learn that democracy springs from faith, consider work a privilege, honor a necessity?

Here is a great work for our churches. It's constructive and important. Mere mouthing of moral platitudes is not enough. Something that will "strike home" to our youth and create a desire toward high civic accomplishment is needed.

It may be too late to make a lot of our adults do an "about face" in some of their thinking, but we do have a chance with our youngsters.

## Laff-A-Day



"Stop annoying mother and play with the nice gentleman behind you!"

## Diet and Health First Child's Birth Is Not More Difficult

By HERMAN N. BUNDESEN, M.D.

IT has long been thought that special dangers surround the woman who has her first baby after she is 35 years old. It was thought to be a risky business for both the mother and her child.

But, like so many traditional beliefs, this one does not stand up in face of the facts. Analysis of the record proves that thousands of women have had first babies after 35 without special difficulty and the babies born to them prove as healthy as those whose mothers are younger.

### Middle Age

Of course, as a woman grows older and passes into middle age, she may develop disturbances of the heart or circulation, high blood pressure, or tumor growths, but there is no reason to believe that these conditions will be any more frequent in a woman having her first baby after 35 than in a woman who has had children before this time. When these complications do occur, it is often necessary for the woman to have hospital treatment.

One of the more troublesome complications of pregnancy, toxemia or poisoning, is found no more often in older women than in young ones.

In women who have their first baby after 35, Cesarean operation

is often carried out. Unfortunately, in some cases these operations are done because the patient is so fearful that something will go wrong. Mostly, this is an unnecessary fear. Both mother and baby will be better if the birth is allowed to go on normally.

If these mothers past 35, who are to give birth to their first baby, have medical care throughout pregnancy and no complications develop, they may be expected to deliver without any difficulties. These women should, of course, be under the care of a physician throughout pregnancy so that, if any abnormal condition does develop, it may be promptly recognized and treated.

All of the figures seem to show that the older woman who is giving birth to her first baby need have no special worries or fears about the outcome.

### QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

J. D.: Will the use of hormones cause cancer of the breast?

Answer: There seems to be some evidence that the improper use of certain hormones may be a contributing cause for the development of cancer of the breast. Hence, any hormone treatments should be carried out under the direction of a physician so that all such dangers may be avoided.

Mitchell. The congressional committee making such an investigation should have adequate counsel to ask the correct questions.

Representative George A. Dondero has introduced a resolution calling for the appointment of a bipartisan committee to do that. Such a committee should be appointed and should be limited to the "Amerasia" case. That job requires impartial thoroughness.

The "Amerasia" case went to the grand jury and in due course Philip Jaffe pleaded guilty and was fined \$2,500 and Emmanuel Larsen was fined \$500 and the case died. Who killed it? The prosecution on behalf of the department of justice was handled by Robert M. Hitchcock and Donald Anderson. The record will show that a weak case was presented. One of the defendants was Kate L. Mitchell, a niece of James M. Mitchell, a Buffalo lawyer (now deceased) whose firm was Kenefick, Cooke, Mitchell, Bass and Letchworth. Robert M. Hitchcock is now a member of that firm. The coincidence is proof of nothing.

The record of the case shows: Sept. 29, 1945 Jaffe withdrew plea of not guilty and entered a plea of guilty and was sentenced to a fine of \$2,500. Justice proctor, presiding.

Nov. 2, 1945 Larsen withdrew all previously filed motions and plea of not guilty and entered in lieu thereof a plea of nolo contendere. Sentenced to pay a fine of \$500. Justice proctor, presiding.

Nov. 26, 1945 Roth case continued for trial to Feb. 6, 1946. All motions to be disposed of on or before January 18, 1946. Justice laws, presiding.

Feb. 6, 1946 Roth case reargued (for trial).

Feb. 15, 1946 For Roth, Nolle Prosequi entered by U. S. District Attorney, Ed. M. Curran. Defendant discharged.

Feb. 16, 1946 Donald Anderson, justice department attorney, requested that Roth matter be dropped because of insufficient evidence.

There's something wrong there. This case really never was tried in any court.

## Police Corruption Scented in Brooklyn

NEW YORK, April 12—(AP)—Special Brooklyn investigators, politely asking the mayor to keep hands off for the time being, dug today into possible pay-offs to some police by gamblers.

Mayor William O'Dwyer, just back from a Florida vacation, suggested yesterday that City Inves-

## Fayette County Years Ago

### Five Years Ago

Blood donor champion's grandparents were Fayette County residents. Gave 32 pints of blood in 19 different cities.

Lions lose opener to Jeffersonville, 14 to 3.

Capital University choir coming here. Concert will benefit school organ fund.

### Ten Years Ago

During the past three months, 49 interments were made in the Washington Cemetery.

4-H advisors will go to Lebanon Saturday to attend advisory meeting of officials.

### Fifteen Years Ago

Painting at county home, improving Catfish ditch and Mar-

ion Township road work approved as work-relief projects for Fayette County at cost of \$6,133.

Elmer A. Kiever chosen president of the 10th district of the Ohio Funeral Directors' Association.

### Twenty Years Ago

Farm homes of Tasso Coil and Fred Pemberton destroyed by fire yesterday in brisk wind and L. G. Cockerill home threatened when a Delco plant burned.

Man seriously injured at Circle Avenue and Main Street in automobile crash.

### Twenty-Five Years Ago

Isaac Booco, wealthy Jefferson Township farmer, dies.

Severe drought gripping Fayette County.

E. Sikes said they declined to allow Mrs. Elizabeth Speers to post a cash bond because it would be unwise for her to go abroad unprotected with so much money. They said that one package of currency alone amounted to \$10,000 in \$100 bills.

Mrs. Speers spent the night in an office—not a cell—at police headquarters. The detectives said they were worried "about what might happen to that money" if they locked Mrs. Speers in a cell with run-of-the-mill inmates.

### Trap Set for Thieves

### Kills Man Who Set It

BORRSEN, Belgium, April 12—(AP)—Pigeon fancier L. Konix, began missing his pigeons and figured they'd been stolen.

So he rigged up a gun in the pigeon loft so it would go off when the door was opened.

He forgot about his invention when he went to count his birds next day.

The 45-year-old pigeon fancier will be buried tomorrow in the local cemetery.

## Grab Bag

### The Answer, Quick

1. According to Proverbs, what is "the beginning of wisdom"?
2. What French statesman was nicknamed "The Tiger"?
3. With what river does the Erie canal connect the Great Lakes?
4. Who "learned of every bird its language, learned their names and all their secrets"?
5. What is a "divining" rod?

### Your Future

Use your originality today to gain your desires; aspects are auspicious. In your coming year you should seize your business opportunities. The child born today is likely to have an exceptionally fine character and intellect.

### Watch Your Language

CONTINGENT — (con-TIN-jent)—adjective; liable, but not certain, to occur; possible; coming from or subject to unforeseen conditions; chance; dependent on something that may or may not occur. Origin: French or Latin; French from Latin—Contingens.

### How'd You Make Out

1. "The fear of the Lord."—Proverbs 9:10.
2. Georges Clemenceau.
3. The Hudson.
4. Hawatha, in Henry W. Longfellow's poem of that name.
5. A forked twig held by the fingertips and believed to bend downward when carried over a spring of hidden water.

### Steel Magnate Suicides

NEW YORK, April 12—(AP)—John Allen Dillon, 65, a retired steel executive, was found dead today of gas poisoning in his Park Avenue apartment. Assistant Medical Examiner Eugene Clarke listed the cause of death as suicide.

## Memories of FDR's Last Day

By Ben Price

(Substituting for Hal Boyle)  
WARM SPRINGS, Ga., April 12—(AP)—The hills are green again—green as that fatal day Daisy Bonner ordered, "get the president to the table."

Prettyman, FDR's valet, looked up from his newspaper and went to do as he was told for President Roosevelt insisted on having his cheese souffle right out of the oven.

The souffle went uneaten. It was April 12, 1945. From the kitchen, Daisy heard the president, sitting in the living room of his little White House, exclaim, "Oh, what a terrific headache!"

"I peeked around the corner," said Daisy, "and they were pushing him into the bedroom. Those were his last words."

"You know," she added, "it took two hours after he was stricken for that souffle to fall."

Daisy, now ill and about to become a living museum piece, literally, to the memory of her beloved president, cast her mind back to that grim day which shook the wartime world.

She rocked as she talked and the April wind whistled through the unfinished shack which is all Daisy has to call home; the same Daisy who gained a measure of immortality by scribbling on the wall of her kitchen that she "cooked the first meal and the last" for the president in his Georgia home.

On that fatal day, Daisy recalled, the president had his breakfast about 9 A. M.—orange juice, milk, two scrambled eggs, bacon, toast and coffee.

All that morning the man who four times was elected president of the U. S. remained in

bed with hot water bottles "right up till it was time to dress and come out for lunch."

FDR sat, she remembered, near the fireplace and beneath the model of the Nantucket Whaler he had helped build. He was chatting with his cousins, Miss Laura Delano and Miss Margaret Suckley, and the artist who was painting his portrait, Miss Elizabeth Shoumatoff.

After while Miss Suckley came out to see about the president's gruel, said Daisy. "They called it gruel but wasn't nothing but oatmeal cooked five hours."

That gruel was a sore spot with Daisy, the cooking artist, "because it spoiled his appetite if he ate it just before lunch. Now I had a talk with him about that the day before. I told him he oughta eat it between meals. He said he would—but he didn't."

Not long after FDR finished his gruel, Daisy continued, Miss Suckley came back to tell her to put the souffle in the oven.

The next thing Daisy heard was the president's exclamation. She peeked and then "Mrs. Ruth-erford, she was a friend of the family's from Aiken, N. C. came in and picked up the phone and said, 'get a doctor!'"

"The telephone stayed in the kitchen lots and I used to answer it sometimes when they were busy. The telephone operator called back and asked, 'who's the doctor for?' And I said, 'I guess I'm not supposed to tell—things are kinda secret—but it's for the president.' Then she said, 'you want Dr. Bruen.'"

A few minutes later, Daisy went on, Commander Howard Bruen, USN, screeched up to the

house in his car and "dust was boiling."

More hot water bottles were ordered and, as Daisy moved about collecting them, the place was quiet as a tomb save for "that rattle in his throat you could hear all over the house."

Daisy stopped her rocking. Once when she took a water bottle in, "I touched his hand. I touched his hand afterwards before they carried him out."

This was the man a Georgia born Negro could call on in the White House in Washington and to whom she could write:

"We are very proud to have our president run, for a third term. I am not going to let the little trifle of life and handicap that I am undergoing here in Warm Springs stop me from trying to reach the top of talent which I may be president of cooking. But it takes these things thru life to make a success as I realize it takes to be 1st lady of the land and president of U. S."

Five years and two major operations later, life is pretty hard for Daisy, who cooked for Mr. Roosevelt in Georgia for 20 years. She's been doing a little work at parties and even taking in a little washing.

Soon, though, she plans to sit in a little cafe museum, rock and tell the story of the president as she knew him. She'll crochet a little and sell that little to those who will buy.

On Sundays she will supervise the making of "country captain," an involved chicken dish. It will be the only cafe in the world where "country captain" can be had fit for a president. It was.

## Secret Document and Amerasia

By George Sokolsky

Archibald van Beuren was the security officer on the OSS to whom Frank B. Bielaski, undercover agent, turned over sample documents taken from the premises of "Amerasia" by a crew of OSS operatives on March 11, 1945, sent there to discover how a secret document got into the possession of that obscure magazine.

This country was at war. The possession by an unauthorized person of a secret document was an act of espionage. As relating to the OSS, only General William Donovan could give "Amerasia" these documents lawfully. He did not do so. The leak was called to OSS attention by a British intelligence unit.

When the 12 to 14 assembles, out of a hundred or more, were taken from "Amerasia," a routine memorandum was prepared in the OSS. Although that office has been abolished, the memorandum must be in existence somewhere. Mr. van Beuren and Mr. Bielaski should be called upon to testify concerning it.

Van Beuren called the attention of General Donovan to the "Amerasia" case. Subsequently all this information was relayed to the joint chiefs of staff and to the secretary of state, who at that time was Edward Stettinius. In the state department, the matter was referred to Frederick B. Lyon for investigation. There the record dies so far as I can go.

The FBI was called into the investigation of the "Amerasia" case. Myron Guernsey, who is described to me as a very able man, was sent to New York by the FBI

to investigate "Amerasia."

So far as I can learn, he made a second raid on the "Amerasia" office, during which all the documents found there were photographed. It is not clear whether the documents Guernsey's crew found were the same as those found by Bielaski's crew. It is probable that there was a stream of stolen documents, Bielaski and Guernsey, on the stand, could establish that.

All these documents had markings, fingerprints and other indications which should have made it possible for the FBI to trace them right through. They were able to know through whose hands the documents passed. Incidentally, there were a number of telephone calls, during the period of the OSS and FBI investigations, which were undoubtedly wire-recorded.

The following persons should be asked to testify concerning the "Amerasia" case and what happened to it: General William Donovan, Archibald van Beuren, Frank B. Bielaski, Myron Guernsey, J. Edgar Hoover, Frederick B. Lyon, Philip J. Jaffe, Kate L.

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# Social Happenings

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## Marriage Takes Place In Hillsboro Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Rowe announce the marriage of their daughter, Thelma Louise, to Mr. Gilbert Hooks.

The ceremony took place on Saturday April 8, in the Methodist Church parsonage in Hillsboro with Rev. Wayne Snider officiating at ten o'clock in the morning.

The bride wore for the occasion a navy blue suit with which she combined black and white accessories and her corsage was of white carnations.

After a short wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Hooks will be at home at 746 Washington Avenue.

## Calendar

Mrs. Fathie Pearce  
Society Editor  
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### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12

Golden Rule Class of Good Hope Methodist Church, meets at Wayne Hall covered dish dinner 7 P. M.

Circle 15 of Grace Methodist Church meets with Mrs. Marvin Rossmann, 7:30 P. M. American Legion Auxiliary regular meeting and child welfare program in Legion Hall 7:30 P. M.

Cecilians will meet in the Dayton Power and Light club room 8 P. M.

Group Five, Westminster Guild of First Presbyterian Church covered dish dinner in church basement, 6:30 P. M.

### THURSDAY, APRIL 13

Professional Nurses Association meets with Mrs. Vernon Benroth, 8 P. M.

Marion PTA meets at Marion School 8 P. M.

Spring Grove WSCS meets with Mrs. Glenn Whiteside 2 P. M.

Good Fellowship Class of First Christian Church, dinner meeting in the church basement 6:30 P. M.

Elmwood Ladies Aid meets with Mrs. B. H. Crouse 2 P. M.

Pomona Grange at Farm Bureau Building 8 P. M.

Chaffin Community Circle meets at Chaffin School for covered dish dinner, 7 P. M.

C.T.S. Class of First Presbyterian Church covered dish dinner and birthday party in church house, 6:30 P. M.

Open Circle Class of Grace Methodist Church meets with Mrs. Thomas Haynie. Annual birthday party of class 7:30 P. M.

Gleaners Class of McNair Church dinner meeting at Anderson Drive Inn 7 P. M.

Regular fortnightly luncheon bridge at the Washington Country Club 1 P. M. Hostesses Mrs. Wash Lough chairman, Miss Bess Bruce Cleaveland, Mrs. Ansel Kirkpatrick Sr. Miss Ruth Sexton and Mrs. Otis Morrow.

### FRIDAY, APRIL 14

Marilee and Twin Oaks Garden Clubs Arbor Day program at the Good Hope School gymnasium, 2 P. M.

Women of The Moose regular meeting in Moose Hall, 8 P. M.

Fayette Garden Club meets with Mrs. Homer Garinger 2 P. M.

Open Circle Class of the Good Hope Methodist Church will meet at Wayne Hall, for covered dish dinner, 7 P. M.

Combined meeting of True Blue and Friendship classes of Sugar Grove Church. Covered dish dinner at the church 7 P. M. with New Martinsburg class as guests.

### MONDAY, APRIL 17

Annual meeting of League of Women Voters of Fayette County at home of Mrs. Frank Littler. Covered dish luncheon 12:30 P. M.

Buckeye Garden Club meets with Mrs. Leland Stevens, 7:30 P. M.

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## Class Plans Annual Banquet At Meeting

Twenty-two members of the Marguerite Class of the First Presbyterian Church met at the church house Tuesday evening for the regular April meeting.

Mrs. Russell Giebelhouse, president, conducted the business session, opening with devotionals in charge of Mrs. Stanley Scott, using an Easter theme in which she brought the thoughts that in our every day living, what would Jesus do under similar circumstances, and follow His example to help solve the many problems of life. She also read a poem, "Discovery" and closed with prayer.

Mrs. Charles Hire, assistant secretary, gave the report and Mrs. Sterling Fox gave her report. Mrs. Harold Braden reported that two boxes of educational material had been sent to a missionary in Japan. A report on the annual Mother-Daughter banquet, May 9, was given by the general chairman, Mrs. William Rogers, who announced it would be held in the church house, with Mrs. Charles Reinke in charge of the planning of the meal, Mrs. Sterling Fox, program and Mrs. Russell Giebelhouse, decorations.

A social hour followed, during which a dainty dessert course was served by Mrs. George Campbell, chairman, and her assisting hostesses, Mrs. Harold Braden, Mrs. Cecil VanZant, Mrs. Robert Parrett, Miss Clara Davis, Mrs. Ervin P. Miller and Mrs. Leonard Watts.

## Mrs. Elliott Leader At Circle Meeting

The members of W S C S Circle 11 of Grace Methodist Church met in Fellowship Hall Tuesday evening with Mrs. Lewis Elliott, leader.

Devotionals were in charge of Mrs. Harold Moats.

Miss Jo Ann Van Pelt gave the secretary's report and roll call was responded to by sixteen members and Miss Helen Moore treasurer gave her report.

It was decided to hold the meetings during the summer months, and election of officers resulted in the following being chosen.

President, Mrs. Belmont McNoldy; vice presidents, Mrs. Charles McCoy and Mrs. John Rhoads; secretary Miss Patti Maddux; treasurer Mrs. William Lucas Jr.; secretary of cards Mrs. James Westendorf; secretary of music Mrs. Jack White; devotionals; Mrs. Charles Spetnagel; press reporter Miss Arlene Smith.

One new member Mrs. Robert Wood was welcomed by the society. Miss Patti Maddux program leader, introduced Mrs. John Rhoads in two inspiring readings "The Talking Picture" and "You Have To Believe". A social hour followed and Mrs. Lewis Elliott chairman, Mrs. James Westendorf served delicious refreshments.

The May meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Hubert Stemple.

## Mrs. Doris Bower Chosen As New Lioness President

The regular dinner meeting of the Lioness Club, was held at the Washington Country Club Tuesday evening.

The four long tables seating the members for the tempting three course meal were lighted with white tapers and centered with large arrangements of jonquils. The business meeting was in charge of president Lioness Bobby Marting, during which Lioness Doris Bower and Marian Ward reported on a trip made to the eye clinic at University Hospital Columbus, when a group of children were taken for treatment. Election of officers for the coming year resulted in the following members being chosen, president, Lioness Mrs. Doris Bower; vice president, Mrs. Rosemary Thrallkill; secretary Mrs. Mary Jo Hackett; treasurer, Mrs. Glendine Kelley, tail twister, Mrs. Roberta Rodenfels; Lioness tamer, Mrs. Annabel Dawson; director for three years,

## Sugar Grove WCTU Meets With Mrs. Grim

The April meeting of the Sugar Grove WCTU was held at the home of Mrs. W. A. Grim, Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. F. E. Haines had charge of the impressive devotionals, reading from the Scripture and offered prayer.

During the short business session presided over by the president, Mrs. Earl Scott, the usual reports were read and approved and Mrs. Orville Bush was appointed program leader for the May meeting.

The program was opened by Mrs. Ralph Hays with two readings entitled "Strict Enforcement Works" and "What One Major Thinks".

The article "Soft Drink, Thank You", read by Mrs. C. C. Marine showed the courage of one woman at a party to refuse a cocktail and by so doing eight other women followed, by returning to the tray, the cocktails they had taken.

"Everybody Doesn't Drink" by Mrs. Scott and "Wine Is A Mockery" was read by Mrs. Beryl Cavine.

Mrs. Haines brought to the group some interesting highlights of the mid-year executive meeting of state officers, department directors and the county presidents of Ohio held at the Deshler-Wallick Hotel in Columbus, March 27-29.

One of the new motion pictures produced by the National WCTU and given its first showing in Ohio to a large attentive audience portrayed the tragedy that comes to society with the use of beverage alcohol.

Mrs. Nora B. Pontious told the assembly that when Parliamentary Law is studied and used in meetings the programs will benefit and be made more impressive.

She is the State Director of Parliamentary Usage.

The program was closed with the WCTU benediction.

During the social hour following the hostess assisted by Mrs. Orville Bush served a delicious dessert course using a pink and white color scheme.

Mrs. Marjorie McLean; director for two years, Mrs. Jean Hook; director for one year, Mrs. Ann Reinke. These officers are to be installed at the May meeting. Hostess for the evening were Lionesses, Mrs. Bobby Marting, Mrs. Helen Sauer, Mrs. Charlene Mace, Mrs. Eleanor French, Mrs. Kay Gillen, Mrs. Susie Helfrich, Mrs. Nellie McCord, Mrs. Nancy Brandenburg and Mrs. Joye Seblom.

## Class Members Are Entertained By Miss Sexton

Miss Ruth Sexton extended the hospitality of her home on Tuesday evening to the members of the True Blue Class of Grace Methodist Church. The opening devotionals were led by Mrs. O. W. Landrum who used as her theme "Christ's Dwelling Place." She read from The Upper Room, and also scripture from the tenth chapter of St. Luke. The president, Mrs. Paul Haines was in charge of the business session during which the secretary's report was read by Miss Eloise Wisel in the absence of Mrs. Dewey Sheidler and Miss Norma Dodd gave a gratifying treasurer's report.

A letter was read from the Greek girl acknowledging a box of food sent to her recently, and a note of appreciation from Mrs. Mabel Blessing, teacher of the class, thanked the members for flowers sent during the past month and especially at Easter.

Mrs. Haines appointed Miss Jeanette Haver, Mrs. Harry Bush and Miss Leona Hewitt as the nominating committee to select officers for the coming year. Round Robin cards were prepared to be sent to Mrs. Blessing and Miss Sophia Kyriakon. Mrs. George O'Brian program leader presented Miss Sally Keck, who in turn introduced members of her dramatic class in a short playlet "The Boy Who Discovered Easter." Those taking part were Misses Barbara Manahan, Becky Armstrong, Robert McCray, Tommy Christopher and David Elliott.

The play was well given and was greatly enjoyed by the members. During the social hour following the hostess was assisted by Mrs. Jean Nisley, Mrs. Otis B. Core, Miss Thelma Runyan, Miss Adah Rechenbach and Mrs. George O'Brian in the serving of a tempting refreshment course.

Buy tuna fish that is "flaked" or "grated" for use in sandwiches for the lunchbox. Solid pack tuna is particularly delicious in a cream sauce when it is not broken up in pieces that are too small. Stir the fish carefully after you add it to the white sauce.

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## Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Baer and son Tommy returned Tuesday from Warm Springs, Georgia where they enjoyed a ten day Easter visit with their daughter Miss Beverly Baer.

Mrs. Paul Boggess, sons Larry and Marc and Mrs. Geraldine Bowsher of Springfield spent Tuesday with Mrs. Boggess and Mrs. Bowsher's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Hillery. Mrs. George Boggess accompanied them home for a visit.

Over Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Smith of Jeffersonville were Miss Marvene Smith of Dayton, Miss Donna Smith of Middletown and additional Sunday guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ishmael Dowler, Mr. Worley Vanvey daughter Bevan Rae of this city, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Dowler and Franklin Exline of Jeffersonville.

## Work Basket Club Holds Meeting

The Work Basket Club met at the home of Mrs. Harold Shackelford for its regular April meeting.

Roll call was answered by each member naming her favorite Easter dish.

Mrs. Burris Henry and Mrs. Floyd Denney entertained the members with a song entitled, "Carry Me Back to Calvary".

Mrs. Eddie Pendergraft gave a talk on safety for children. Mrs. Pendergraft closed the business meeting by reading the 117th Psalm. Members were invited to the dining room where the Easter theme had been carried out in the decorations.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held at 1:30 P. M. April 21 at the home of Mrs. Clarence A. Christman Jr.

If you use garlic in your main dish be sure that it isn't in the salad dressing that's to be served with the meal. In the same way, if you are serving a meat with a tomato sauce don't serve tomatoes in the salad. Repetitions of flavor should be avoided in planning a menu.

## Mrs. Cunningham Is Hostess of WSCS Members

The members of the WSCS of the Bloomingburg Methodist Church met at the home of Mrs. Charles Cunningham Tuesday afternoon.

The opening devotionals were in charge of Mrs. Leonard Slager assisted by the program leader Mrs. Cunningham, using the theme "We Would See Jesus, The Great Rock Foundation."

The hymn "Jesus Calls Us," was followed with responsive reading participated in by Mrs. Frank Slager, Mrs. Walter Noble and Mrs. Don Thornton. Mrs. Wells Reinohl gave a talk on "Needs of The World."

Mrs. Cunningham read, "Recalling Young Leaders," Mrs. Joe Alleman's article was "Our Training Schools," and Mrs. John Gibbant "What Must We Do."

The hymn "Have Thine Own Way," and scripture from Corinthians, the hymns, "Faith of Our Father," and prayer by Mrs. Leonard Slager closed the worship period.

The business session was in charge of Mrs. Fred Oswald during which it was decided to contribute to the Lancaster Camp Ground Fund.

Plans were also made for a guest day luncheon at the church in May, when district officers will be included.

The social hour followed and a tempting refreshment course was served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Leonard Slager and Mrs. Glen Earl Davis Sr. Mrs. Eben Thomas was included as guest.

## Eastern Star Meeting Features Men's Night

Royal Chapter 29, O. E. S. convened in regular session Monday evening with Worthy Matron Mrs. Orpha Wilson and Worthy Patron, Mr. W. C. Allen presiding. Following the ritualistic work, Men's Night was celebrated in the banquet hall with a most entertaining and amusing playlet, produced by the men under the direction to Mr. W. C. Allen. Those participating were Mr. Marvin Thornburg, Mr. Milbourne Flee, Mr. Herbert Clickner, Mr. Wilbur Mossbarger and Mr. Charles Hurr. Assisting in serving delicious refreshments were Dr. Fred D. Woollard, Mr. Hughey Thompson, Mr. Carey Phillips and Mr. Ralph Michael.

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## Junior Mail Bag Club Holds Special Meeting

The Buckeye Fellowship Junior Mail Bag Club members assembled for a called meeting at the home of Mrs. Joe Henry Tuesday evening with Miss Carolyn Riley as hostess with five members and two guests present. Miss Mary Fout president, conducted the business session during which plans were made for a bake sale, Friday April 21, at the First Federal Loan Co.

They also discussed the choosing of a senior advisor and planned a birthday party for members April 19 which will also be guest night. Miss Doris Perry assisted Miss Riley in the hospitalities in the serving of refreshments at the close of the meeting.

## Mrs. Torbitt Hostess To Class Members

The members of the Queen Esther Class of the First Christian Church met with Mrs. Hallie Torbett Tuesday evening.

The newly elected president, Mrs. Ned Kinzer Sr. conducted the meeting and Mrs. Louise Stewart, devotional leader read the 139th Psalm. Prayer by Mrs. Kinzer closed this period.

The hymn, "Leaning On The Everlasting Arms" by the group was followed with the election of a new vice president, Mrs. Jess Whitmer.

A rummage sale was planned for May 13, and the meeting was closed with prayer.

Mrs. Torbett assisted by Mrs. Frank Morris, Mrs. C. B. Tigner, Mrs. Flo Straley and Mrs. Bessie Reeves served a tempting refreshment course to the twenty-nine

## Class Members Plan Projects At Meeting

Miss Faye Nelson was hostess to the Loyal Daughters Class of the First Christian Church Tuesday evening with twenty four members present.

Mrs. Ted Merritt president, conducted the business session opening with devotionals in charge of Mrs. Amy Dunlap, reading scripture from Matthew, and a poem entitled "At The End of The Trail," closing with the Lord's Prayer.

The usual reports were heard and accepted and it was decided to have a rummage on May 6, and a Parcel Post sale on April 28.

The meeting was closed with the benediction and a social hour followed. Tempting refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Floyd Tracey, and Mrs. Jesse Taylor.

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## Future Is Issue In Gas Battle

Price Regulation  
Trend Is Feared

By CLARKE BEACH  
WASHINGTON—The big issue behind the many arguments over the Kerr bill, amending the natural gas act, was the future price of natural gas.

The bill was signed to clarify the natural gas act of 1938 by definitely stating that the Federal Power Commission (FPC) has no authority to regulate the prices of "independent" natural gas producers — those who do not own pipelines. The independents supply from 80 to 85 per cent of all the gas produced.

This would bring a quick rise in the price of natural gas, according to opponents of the bill. No one has been quite sure whether the FPC had authority to set gas prices. Opponents said that only the possibility that the commission would attempt price setting has kept producers from raising their prices closer to those of coal or fuel oil.

If the natural gas price rose until it was just under that of coal or fuel oil for equivalent heat values, said the opponents, then the additional cost to home and industrial consumers could reach almost \$500,000,000 a year.

**Control Feared**  
Well, said Rep. Halleck (R-Ind.), if gas production should come under FPC control, "the government then might go on to control the price of coal, oil and other industries."

No, said Senator Douglas (D-Ill.), a noted economist, who spearheaded the opposition. Gas, he declared, was a monopoly and should be regulated. If a coal or oil producer hikes his price too much, the buyer is free to take his trucks or move his trains elsewhere to buy where the price is lower. But the pipeline company must accept whatever price the producer chooses to exact.

"The expense of tearing up a pipeline and laying a new one prevents a buyer from taking advantage of a lower price in a different field," Douglas said.

Already, the bill's opponents pointed out, the price which producers receive for natural gas has risen considerably. The average price of gas in the southwest in 1938 was 2.5 cents per thousand cubic feet. By 1947 it had risen to 3.75 cents. New contracts drawn between 1946 and 1948, said the FPC, provide a price of five to 10 cents with clauses permitting periodic renegotiations and price boosts.

**Price Drop Cited**  
The price of natural gas to consumers, the bill's advocates pointed out, however, fell 12 per cent between 1938 and 1947 — from 68 cents per thousand to 60 cents. At the same time the price of anthracite coal rose 6 per cent and fuel oil 79 per cent.

Those against the bill say this was caused entirely by the FPC's whitening the profits of the pipeline companies and the distributors. The commission found that as the companies increased the volume of their business, they could sell for less and still make a reasonable profit about 6 per cent of their costs.

Senator Kerr (D-Okla.), a wealthy oil man and chief sponsor of the legislation, warned that if price regulation were adopted the industry would lose the incentive to expand. The gas industry, he said, is a speculative mining operation. If profit possibilities are restricted, the producers will put their money into safer enterprises.

To discover new oil and gas reserves, he said, large sums must be risked, and much of the money is sunk in dry wells. It wouldn't be sensible, he said, for producers to take chances where they could get only 6 per cent on successful drilling and no returns

Doing Something Worthwhile Is Compensation

## Doctor's Charge Is Still Only 50c

BY KEN DAVIS  
COLUMBUS, April 12 —(P)—How would you like to call at a doctor's office, have your ailment diagnosed and get a bottle of medicine—all for a total of 50 cents?

In the nearby community of Shadeville, you can do just that. And, you would be getting the services of a man who may well be the dean of active physicians in Ohio — Dr. Eleazar Aaron Thrall.

Now an active 86 years of age, "Doc Ellie" has been practicing medicine in Shadeville for 56 of those years. He has no notion of retiring, either.

First, 50-cent office fees don't leave much margin for retirement.

Second, the community's respectful and admiring residents probably wouldn't permit it, even if "Doc Ellie" wanted to retire.

Many things happen to a village physician in 56 years, many are the laughs and the heartaches. Take babies, for instance. "Doc Ellie" off-handedly counts more than 950 babies he has delivered into this world, many of them without fee.

"Every day," said the spry old medical man, "I see around me men, women who came into this world on these two hands, lot of them getting the trip on a free ticket, too.

**'Satisfying Thing'**  
"It's a satisfying thing to a man to see these people. It gives you a sense of having done something worthwhile," however, doesn't get a chance to see his most difficult and trying delivery results. That would be the baby born in a canal boat at Lockbourne, Ohio

"Doc Ellie" recalls the mother weighed 350 pounds, that the delivery room was in the hold of a canal boat named the "Cashier Lawman". It was summer, a hot summer, and the hold was like a Turkish bath, only not so large.

At intervals, "Doc Ellie" had to abandon his work and grab a breath of air outside. But, the baby lived and the Shadeville physician continued to deliver other babies, under less difficult circumstances.

Doctor Thrall was born Jan. 9, 1864, on a farm near Croten in Licking County. He was graduated from Columbus Medical College in the state capital in

whatever for holes that proved dry.

The independent producers, he said, are the only ones bringing in large new oil resources. They have drilled 65,000 wildcat wells in the past 10 years. On the other hand, the controlled, regulated pipeline companies which own their own gas lands have drilled only 100 wells in the same time. They lacked incentive, he said.

## WOMEN NEARLY EXPLODES WITH STOMACH GAS

"I was filled with so much gas that I was sure I would explode" said a woman living in Washington C. H.

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1892. The young physician spent the next two years as an assistant to two surgeons, Drs. Charles and William Hamilton, and at Hawkes Hospital in Columbus. The hospital is now Mt. Carmel.

**Traveled over Ohio**

With the Hamiltons, Doctor Thrall traveled to every county in Ohio, assisting in surgery, before he settled down in Shadeville to spend the rest of his life in general practice.

Shadeville had 300 inhabitants then and it has about the same number now—most of whom have been treated at one time or another by "Doc Ellie".

Until 1912, "Doc Ellie" rode horseback to make calls in a 10-mile radius of Shadeville. In that year, he bought his first car, a "Flanders". For a number of years, however, "Doc Ellie" kept his horse for pleasure riding.

Those were busy years. There was the 1918 influenza epidemic—"the worst epidemic I ever went through". "Doc Ellie" saw 67 patients in one day of the World War I epidemic.

Many persons died in that epidemic. But, not all the years meant dying; much of it was living, saving lives. "Doc Ellie" recalls he treated 85 cases of typhoid fever before he lost a case.

**Hobbies Limited Now**

Working and gardening are the Shadeville doctor's two hobbies now. Age precludes hunting and fishing, which used to give "Doc Ellie" so much pleasure. At one time, he was a hunting dog fancier, and residents of Shadeville will tell you the old doctor had some of the best dogs in central Ohio.

Age doesn't have too much on his work, yet, however. "Doc Ellie" still takes house calls in the day-time, but accepts no house calls at night. He often drives his own car on these calls, at other times has his son do the driving.

And, "Doc Ellie" doesn't take baby cases any more. They never

were too profitable at the doctor's rate. First he charged \$10, later raised the fee to \$20. Inflation hit only the baby market with "Doc Ellie".

He began charging an office call fee of 50 cents when he hung his shingle in 1894. He still charges 50 cents. Seldom does he write a prescription. Most of the time he deals out medicine from his own supply.

Patients come from 40 to 50 miles around to see "Doc Ellie", some of them Columbus residents. He even drives up sometimes to visit his Columbus patients.

That's the story of Dr. Eleazar Aaron Thrall, village doctor.

Lewis Eakin, who has known and called the old doctor for years, spoke for hundreds of persons around Shadeville when he said:

"Everyone loves the Doc."

## Wilmington Schools Face Race Problem

COLUMBUS, April 12 —(P)—Dr. Clyde Hissong, state education director, said administration of public schools rests with local boards of education.

The director said he explained the law to a group of Wilmington residents who called on him yesterday to protest what they termed segregation of Negroes in grammar schools there.

Ernest R. Bromley and Theodore Lewis headed the five-member delegation. Hissong said they told him Negro children were barred from all grammar schools in Wilmington except Midland School, which has an all-Negro faculty. Negroes attend high school there with white pupils, he said they told him.

Bromley and Lewis asked Hissong to end the grammar school situation in Wilmington by opening all schools to Negroes.

Hissong said he told them that



STRICTLY A PARTY GIRL, Pandora, a chimpanzee born at the Philadelphia Zoo, celebrates her third birthday with a great big blowout. Interested more in the "cutting up" that is certain to follow, Anne Wayne Hatfield, 7, keeps a close watch on the birthday cake. (International Soundphoto)

## A&P Strikes Back At Anti-trust Suit

ATLANTA, April 12—(P)—A striking back at a government anti-trust suit, the Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Company says the justice department's legal theories would upset the nation's whole economic structure.

Denying charges that it is a

monopoly, the big food chain said yesterday the public would suffer "irreparable injury" if the company is broken up.

There is "no justification in fact or in law for the drastic and confiscatory destruction" of the chain, the company said in its first formal reply to the civil anti-trust action in U. S. district court.

The 109-page answer accused the government of "asking this court to adopt, by judicial fiat, new and extremist principles of law which would result in complete remodeling of the entire economic structure of the country."

"The government suit, filed last September, accuses the company of monopolistic restraint of trade in violation of the Sherman anti-trust act.

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WASHINGTON, April 12—(P)—That 425,000,000 bushels of wheat taken over as surplus by the government may come in handy this year.

Heavy damage to a greatly reduced acreage of winter wheat raised the possibility that some of this reserve from previous years may be needed to meet the nation's domestic and export requirements during the coming marketing season.

An agriculture department survey yesterday cut 121,000,000 bushels off a winter wheat crop which last December 1 had been forecast at 885,000,000 bushels.

This reduction reflected crop damage caused by dry weather and insects in the southern great plains. While no forecast has been made yet on spring wheat production, it is possible for harvest of all wheat this year to drop below a prospective billion-bushels market. In that case, the surplus would be a help.

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"O Lord, revive thy work in the midst of the years.  
Hab. 3:2.

"And he will cause to come down for you the rain, THE FORMER RAIN, AND THE LATTER RAIN. And it shall come to pass afterward, that I will pour out my spirit upon all flesh; and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams, your young men shall see visions; And also upon the handmaids in those days will I pour out my spirit." Joel 2:23-29.

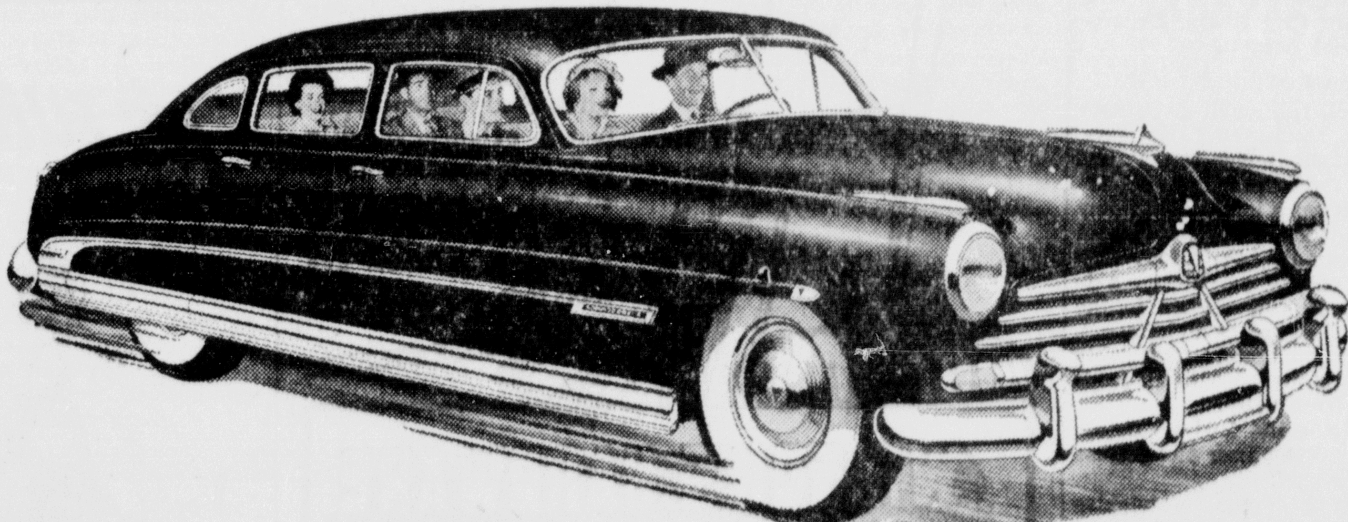
THE EARLY AND LATTER RAIN ARE TWO-FOLD. If we go through the Bible comparing scripture with scripture, and linking up those scriptures which speak about the beginning and closing up of this Church dispensation, we will learn that it began with an outpouring, and ends with an outpouring of God's saving grace. "THE EARLY AND LATTER RAIN" are two-fold, and represent two downpours in Palestine, the "early" rain fell at sowing time, about November or December, the "latter" rain fell at sowing time, about March or April. If either shower falls, the harvest is lost. Therefore we believe this prophecy given by the prophet Joel two thousand and seven hundred years ago had a partial fulfillment at Pentecost and will have a continuous fulfillment until the body of Christ is complete at the end of the Church dispensation.

Again we believe if the "early" rain represents Pentecost nineteen hundred years ago, the "latter" rain will also represent a spiritual Pentecost at the close of the Church dispensation. "Be patient therefore, brethren, unto the coming of the Lord. Behold, the husbandman waiteth for the precious fruit of the earth, and hath long patience for it, until he receive the EARLY AND LATTER RAIN." James 5:7. We Christians who love the Lord's appearing, and are praying for a revival in the body of Christ, and that a lost world will be evangelized ere He come, are in the direct will of God according to the scriptures.

So may we the people who do know their God, not lose courage, but press on and on, increasing our prayers and supplications more and more, until the Spirit works and God revives His people.

"Then shall we know if we follow on to know the Lord: His going forth is prepared as the morning; and He shall come unto us as the rain, as THE LATTER AND FORMER RAIN unto the earth." Hosea 6:3.

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## Patron Makes Best Policeman For Restaurant Sanitation

When you're in a restaurant do you notice dim lighting that conceals dirt, employees who handle food with bare hands or waitresses who pick up glasses by putting their fingers inside them?

"Anybody can be a good judge of restaurant sanitation if he is armed with a few simple facts," County Sanitarian Donald Lee Lange pointed out today.

Citing an article from "Hygeia," monthly publication of the American Medical Association, Lange said that the person most effective in bringing about better sanitation in eating places is the diner-out.

Quoting the article Lange said: "One protest from a customer about careless handling of food, a filthy washroom or lip-stick on the rims of glasses helps to convince even the most careless proprietor that the public's patience with careless food handling is at an end."

The county sanitarian felt that the article in "Hygeia" was of sufficient interest to the public that he recommended wide reading by restaurant and bar patrons in Fayette County.

### Patrons Increasing

The article begins by pointing out the great increase in people who dine out during the past 20 years.

"This revolution in eating habits," the article continues, "has tripled the number of restaurants."

## National Affairs To Be Discussed

### Few from Here To Attend Dayton Meet

A few local business men have made plans to attend a National Affairs Conference, to be held in Dayton, April 14.



Bob Roy MacLeod

Bob Roy MacLeod, division commercial manager of the Niagara Mohawk Power Corp., in Buffalo, N. Y., will be the principal speaker.

Those here who have indicated that they will be present at the conference include Mac Dews, A. E. Weatherly, Paul Rodenfeis, chairman of the Chamber of Commerce national affairs committee, Joe Peters and Frank Baker.

MacLeod is an advocate of sound industrial statesmanship and is well versed on national affairs.

A panel discussion on legislation and its effect on business also will be held during the meeting.

The purpose of the conference is to inform businessmen in this area of what's happening in Washington D. C. and to stimulate them to more aggressive action in national affairs.

# Everybody



## Magic Show Set Here Friday



RAYMOND STEPHENS DEMONSTRATES how he can float a woman in the air then pass a hoop around her to show that there are no supports. This is only one of the many acts which the local magician will present at 7:30 o'clock Friday night on the stage at the Washington C. H. High School auditorium. Proceeds of the show, sponsored by the city PTA council, will go to pay for a dental clinic. The Moose Lodge purchased tickets for 57 youngsters at the Fayette County Children's home so that they can attend the two-hour magic show. (Record-Herald)

using the toilet spread dysentery and other colon bacilli diseases."

### Swank Is Not Enough

The article hastens to point out, however, that "swank alone isn't enough protection."

"Stainless steel does not prevent the thumb in the soup, and many a lipstick smeared glass emerges from ineptly operated modern dishwashing equipment."

To judge the standard of work methods, the article points out how one chain restaurant official observes waiters and bus boys before taking a seat. "He looks to see if they carry glasses and cups by sticking their fingers in them. This practice leaves an oily film almost impossible to remove. It is also an easy way to distribute saliva from the rims of the glasses to everything they touch."

"Well trained employees use trays to avoid stacking of food because the bottoms of stacked dishes usually get dirty. They pick up silver by the handles. Their fingers never touch any surface from which food is eaten. They use a fork to pick up butter, bread and similar food. Bar and soda fountain attendants who know their business never pick up ice with their fingers—they might as well stir your drink with their fingers. Tongs and scoops are pickup tools."

If you want to know whether that meat loaf on the menu is last week's steak, the article tells how a New York City Health Department official does it.

### Short Menu Best

"The well run small or moderate sized restaurant," he says, "has a small menu—often less than six items prepared in advance. If it has a long menu, many of the items must be leftovers. He likes to see only two to four such prepared entrees as chicken, a la king or beef stew offered in the small place—it means no leftovers. Even large operators invariably offer limited menus with all foods prepared fresh daily."

For judging the food set before you, the article passes along these tips from a chef:

"Brilliantly green vegetables have been cooked with a touch of baking soda to heighten the color. Baking soda washes out flavor, makes food slimy and may destroy

vitamins. If meat is dry, it has been cooked at too high a temperature. Roasts should hold their juices and vitamins. Pork should be well done, never pink. A good restaurant prepares salads to order so that they never come to the table limp."

In recommending the article, the county sanitarian invoked the plea of its author: "When a sizable proportion of restaurant patrons learn to spot these signs and insist upon adequate protection, standards will rise precipitously. More of the unfit will fail."

### Jap Suicides Increase

TOKYO—(AP)—Suicide, always fairly common in Japan, is on the increase, Tokyo police report. Police figures show 129 persons took their own lives in Tokyo in a month the highest monthly figure been kept.

## Rent Controls Near End, Belief

### Law Expires June 30 And Staffs Are Cut

WASHINGTON, April 12—(AP)—The agency which runs the Federal Rent Control Program today began widespread firing of employees.

The office of Housing Expediter Tighe E. Woods announced dismissal notices already have been sent to some 1,100 workers. This amounts to a one-fourth reduction in staff and will take effect within two weeks.

"Today's firings won't seriously affect the nationwide scope of rent control operations," a top housing official said.

He told a reporter most of those given notices are in New York where the state takes over all controls on May 1.

Woods' lieutenants reported, however, that "the axe will swing again about May 1" when "another thousand or so" will be let go in rent control offices in many parts of the country.

Although the cutbacks—and the announced plans for further reductions—were strong indications that the agency may be planning to close up shop, there was no official statement to this effect.

The reason given by Woods' office for the "termination notices," was a shortage of payroll funds. However, key housing officials expressed belief that if Congress votes an extension of federal controls some of those fired will be re-hired.

The present national rent law dies June 30 unless renewed by legislative action.

President Truman has asked that federal ceilings be continued another year but congressional opponents of controls believe they have sufficient votes to kill the measure once and for all.

Proposals for extension of federal controls now are before committees in both the house and Senate. However, no action is expected in either chamber for at least two more weeks.

## Fire Loss Reduced Through Publicity

NEW YORK—(AP)—Newspapers of the United States are given much of the credit for the decrease in fire losses in the past year. The

National Board of Fire Underwriters reports that 1949 fire losses were 6.1 per cent below the all-time high of \$711,114,000 recorded in 1948.

Wendell Sether, public information director of the National Board, says "newspapers in all parts of the country helped people save lives and property by educating the public to prevent fires, support modern fire departments and adopt better fire prevention laws."

## Coal Price Rise Above Average

TIFFIN, April 12—(AP)—Coal prices have risen twice as much as the general price level since 1916, a Cleveland industrial consultant contends.

Speaking at the annual Heidelberg College business clinic last night, Dr. Donald R. G. Cowan said declining coal sales offer a "fearsome example" of what can happen when costs and prices are too high.

He said production costs of the fuel are too high, but cannot be reduced much because of heavy expenses, chiefly labor.

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Wednesday Evening

WBNS-TV, CHANNEL 10  
6:00—Roundup  
6:15—Snarky  
6:30—Lucky Pup  
6:45—Looking With Long  
7:00—Early Worm Den 10  
7:30—CBS-TV News  
7:45—At Home Show  
8:00—Arthur Godfrey  
9:00—What's My Line?  
9:30—On Stage  
10:00—Nite Cappers  
11:00—Nite Cappers  
11:30—Sign Off

WTVN, CHANNEL 6  
6:00—Cartoon Theater  
6:15—Police Dept.  
6:30—Musical  
6:45—Hear Music  
7:00—Capt. Video  
7:30—Kirby Kapers  
8:00—On Trial  
8:30—Author Meets The Critics  
9:00—Yard and Garden  
9:15—Film  
9:30—Wrestling  
11:45—Sign Off

Thursday Evening

WBNS-TV, CHANNEL 10  
6:00—Roundup  
6:15—Snarky  
6:30—Lucky Pup  
6:45—Looking With Long  
7:00—Early Worm Den 10  
7:30—CBS-TV News  
7:45—Bob Kepler, Golf Show  
8:00—The Show Goes On  
8:30—Morey Amsterdam  
9:00—Hick Chase  
9:45—What Am I Bid?  
10:30—Film Shorts  
11:00—Nitecappers  
11:30—Sign Off

Radio Programs

NBC—wcol (700) CBS—wbns (1460)  
ABC—wcol (1230) MBS—wbns (610)  
The annual program problem brought on by daylight savings time again is being solved in network radio by setting the system of double operation in effect for several seasons. Television hookups will switch entirely to daylight.

The "fast" time will go into effect a week from Sunday, to continue through the last Sunday in September. Many of the country's metropolitan areas function under its schedule. Under the double program system, the radio networks transmit programs first on daylight time, then relay them again from transcriptions an hour later to stations on standard time.

Television networks are going to a full daylight schedule because most of the communities served operate under daylight. The comparative few stations which stay on standard are expected to rearrange local schedules to fit in the network shows.

Televisioners next fall again will be able to watch five of the "at home" games of the Notre Dame football team now that the DuMont network has signed to do that number for the second season. Four will be played at South Bend, Ind., and one at Cleveland. The contract is on an exclusive basis with the network dickered with several sponsor prospects. The amount paid for the TV rights was not stated.

WEDNESDAY PROGRAMS

NBC—This Is Your Life: 8:30 Great Gildersleeve; 9:30 District Attorney; 10:30 Big Story.  
CBS—7:30 Club Bob Crosby; 8:30 Dr. Christian Drama; 9:30 Groucho Marx Quiz; 10:30 Bing Crosby Recorded Show; 11:30 A. M. Grand Slam Quiz; 12:30 P. M. This Is Nora Drake; 6:15 Your and Your Job; 7:15 Jack Smith Show; 9:30 Suspense.  
MBS—8 Can You Top This: 8:30 Airport Drama; 9:30 Science Fiction Drama; 10:30 Oklahoma Symphony Finale.

THURSDAY PROGRAMS

NBC—10:30 and 11:15 A. M. Dave Garroway; 2:45 P. M. Light of The World; 5:30 Just Plain Bill; 8:30 Father Knows Best; 10:30 Perry Como.  
CBS—11:30 A. M. Grand Slam Quiz; 2:30 P. M. This Is Nora Drake; 6:15 Your and Your Job; 7:15 Jack Smith Show; 9:30 Suspense.  
MBS—11:15 A. M. Bob Poole Show; 2 P. M. Ladies Fair; 4:30 Georgia Jambores; 7:45 I Love A Mystery; 9:30 Mr. Feathers.

Marriage Aid Plan Sought by Lawyers

LOS ANGELES, April 12—(AP)—A new model plan for aiding marriages, something besides divorce, is an absolute "must" in the United States and a com-

The Gentle Heart  
by KAY HAMILTON

CHAPTER NINETEEN

RUTHVEN had taught Dick the "dog fight game" with Gillie, and Jenny had to warn him that the scottie could not take too much excitement or exercise at his age, or he would have run the old dog ragged. When he went off to bed, she breathed a sigh of relief, and it was not until then that she thought again of Faith Owen and her visiting mother-in-law.

Natalie and Gary were out at the movies, so she threw on a coat and ran next door.

Faith was very happy to see her. "Jenny, how nice! Come right in. You must meet Mother Owen. Mother, this is my very good neighbor, Genevieve Mayhew."

Jenny laughed. "I've practically forgotten that that is my name," she explained. "Everyone simply calls me Jenny. And I like it better, somehow. I'm afraid I'd have to develop a little glamour to live up to Genevieve."

Mrs. Owen was a rather tall woman with dark hair just beginning to turn grey, and a peering air. "She's near-sighted," Faith explained later, "but she won't wear glasses."

"So you're Jenny," she said now, taking Jenny's hand in her own. "Faith says you're a fine little housewife, and I believe I am indebted to you for the splendid coffee cake recipe she sent me."

She asked, without any transition whatever, "I suppose you know his Max Lord, who was a friend of my son's?"

"Yes, very well," Jenny said, with what calmness she could muster. The attack had been so sudden. "He is a friend of our family, and we see him often. You will like him."

She was glad she could say this last with assurance, and the older woman nodded once or twice, as if an opinion of her own had been confirmed.

"I've met him," she declared. "And I do like him. Faith, you must ask him over frequently while I am here, so that I can talk to him about Ken."

Faith paled a little, and Jenny felt for her. She foresaw how difficult it would be for Faith and Max to be together under this woman's observation, while their entire talk must be about the dead man whose place Max was hoping to fill. It would have been a difficult situation in any case, but this might well prove disastrous. She said hurriedly, "How long are you staying?" and then blushed furiously, hoping it didn't sound as if she were trying to hurry Mrs. Owen away from Green Ridge.

"I don't know. I haven't decided. Perhaps until Thanksgiving. But long enough to get well acquainted with this little town, and with Faith's neighbors and friends. This is my first visit here, you know."

Jenny went home soon after, to go to bed and sleep uneasily that night. She could not forget Mrs. Owen's strong, possessive hold upon her hand, the peering intent-

ness of her near-sighted eyes.

Would such a woman, who had lived entirely in her son, forgive Faith for having loved a second time?

Natalie came home late, and hurried through her breakfast the next morning. Jenny supposed it was because she had some work still to do on the fishnet design. But, to her surprise, her sister did not go into the studio at all. Only Brent was there, painting away, and whistling a little between his teeth at intervals. When Jenny went upstairs to make the beds, she found Natalie in her room.

"Why, Nat?" she exclaimed. "Going to take a day off? You need it; you've been working hard."

"Yes, I need it," Natalie's voice was tense, her manner jerky. "I thought I'd go over my clothes this morning. I—I'm going to New York for a few days, Jenny. I telephoned Eleanor this morning, and she said she could put me up."

Jenny, straightening the sheets, did not look up. "Going to do some research? Or going on a binge?" she asked.

"Both, I suppose. I want to look over some things at the Metropolitan. And I want to have some fun!"

Jenny glanced at her sister with a humorous smile. "You don't sound as if you were in the right mood for it," she chuckled. "Downright belligerent!"

But Natalie's face, to her astonishment, crumpled a little. "I'm not in the mood for it," she admitted. "I'm not in the mood for anything decent. After last night!"

At once Jenny sensed that something serious underlay her words. "Did you and Gary quarrel?"

"Oh, no! Not even an angry word!" Natalie exploded. "That's just it. He has about as much as much gumption as a jelly-fish, and I never want to see him again."

Jenny sat down abruptly. Her knees felt weak. "But what happened?"

"Nothing, I tell you. You wouldn't think a man like Gary—a man who is as devoted to science as he is—would put such emphasis on money, would you?"

Jenny was puzzled. "But I'm sure he doesn't. I'm sure Gary isn't interested in money," she said positively.

"Yes, as far as," Natalie said, just as positively. "I found that out last night. He might not think of money in connection with his work, but he'd let it stand in the way of his happiness. He's just full of false pride!"

And, despite Jenny's gentlest proddings, she would not say another word. Instead, she set about laying out her things angrily, flinging her dresses on the bed, and going over her stockings with hands that trembled so much, she put runs in two of them.

She took the two-train in at lunchtime, protested against her

leaving her fishnet design half-finished, she said, usually, "There's no rush for it. It's not an order. It's more the point that I should be gathering some new material. I'll be working hard enough in a couple of weeks."

At the last minute, Brent decided to go along. "I haven't anyone posing for me until tomorrow afternoon," he declared, "and I need some supplies. I'll spend the night with Hazelton."

By three o'clock, Jenny was sitting alone in the house. It felt strangely empty and uncomfortably silent. The school bus would not bring Dick home for another three-quarters of an hour, and Jenny set herself to rearrange her room. The meal she had planned for tonight would have to be changed, now that there would be only Dick and herself. And then she said to herself, "Why not ask Pete and Elsa? Perhaps, if I saw them all together..."

They were delighted. "A real meal that I don't have to prepare myself?" Elsa had cried over the phone. "I'll be there! I'll even wash the dishes!"

"Now, don't be rash," Jenny could hear Pete's voice cautioning his wife. "They've got good china, and if you should forget your glasses..."

She had scarcely rung up before Dick came slamming into the house. He tossed his books down on the hall settle with a thump, yawned a greeting to Gillie, who was turning himself into pretzel curves with delight, and stamped into the living room. "Hi, Jenny!" he said. "What's cookin'?"

"Quite a lot, since this morning," she said. "Natalie has gone in to New York for a few days, and Brent went along with her to get some supplies. And your parents are coming over for dinner."

The happy, open look fled from his round face, and the old stubborn expression slid over his features. "They're not my parents," he said coldly. "At least, Pete is, but Elsa is not. She's not my mother, and I won't call her that ever."

"No, of course she's not your mother, and I didn't mean it that way," Jenny said with assumed calmness. "But you will have to get used to people saying that, Dick. You can't go around explaining to everyone that Pete is your father, but Elsa is his second wife."

His air did not soften. "I will if I see they think she's my mother."

Jenny leaned forward in her desk chair. "Dick," she said quietly, "do you miss your mother very much?"

"No," he said angrily. "No! I don't miss her at all. I can get along without anybody if I have to." But he ran from the room, Gillie a comforting black shadow at his heels, before she could see the trembling of his lips.

(To Be Continued)

mittee of the American Bar Association is formulating the plan.

Judge Paul W. Alexander of the court of common pleas, Toledo, Ohio, who heads the Bar Association's special committee, said in an interview today that legislators have been trying since 1884 to get uniform divorce laws by constitutional amendments.

"But it just isn't in the cards," Judge Alexander told superior judges Joseph Malby and Elmer Doyle of Los Angeles' domestic

relations court. "Migratory Divorce, involving couples who run to another state, — Nevada, for instance, — makes up only three per cent of the total, so it's really the 97 per cent who divorce at home that worry us."

Judge Alexander said his committee is striving, not for a "standard" divorce law, but a good working divorce model.

NOTICE IN THE PROBATE COURT, FAYETTE COUNTY, OHIO

Paul Souther, Administrator of the Estate of Mary E. Augustus, deceased, Plaintiff, vs. James E. Augustus, et al., Defendants.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

In pursuance of an order of sale of the Probate Court of Fayette County, Ohio, I will offer for sale at public auction on the 11th day of May, 1950, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., on the premises, the following described Real Estate, to-wit:

Situated in the Village of Good Hope, County of Fayette and State of Ohio, and known as the East Half of Lot Number Seventeen (17), and this known and described on the recorded Plat of said Village, said premises being located on Main Street in said Village.

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PAUL SOUTHER, Admstr. Estate of Mary E. Augustus, Deceased.

John S. Bath, Attorney

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Estate of Ora Cook, Deceased. Notice is hereby given that Creed Cook has been appointed Administrator of the estate of Ora Cook, deceased, late of Fayette County, Ohio. Creditors are required to file their claims with said Administrator within four months or forever be barred.

No. 5626  
Date March 31, 1950  
Attorney: Adair A. Adkins, Circleville, Ohio

RELL G. ALLEN, Judge of the Probate Court, Fayette County, Ohio.

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF FAYETTE COUNTY, OHIO

No. 4034  
Alma Arthur, Executrix of the Estate of Mary White, deceased, Plaintiff, vs. Stanley Vance, et al., Defendants.

In pursuance to the order of the Probate Court of Fayette County, Ohio, I will offer at Public Auction on the 6th day of May, 1950, at 1:00 o'clock P. M., in the Court House in Washington, Fayette County, Ohio, the following described real estate, to-wit:

The following real estate situated in the County of Fayette in the State of Ohio and in the City of Washington, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the N. E. corner of Lot No. 105 in the town now city of Washington and the intersection of an alley with Paint Street leading from Paint to Temple Street in said City; thence with the line of said Paint Street in a westerly direction fifty (50) feet to a point in the line of said Paint Street; thence in an easterly direction with the line of said Hinkson and parallel, with said Paint Street fifty (50) feet to a point in said alley; thence in a westerly direction along the line of said alley forty-one feet to the place of beginning. Containing 2.0624 square feet of land being a part of Lot No. 105 of the original plat of the Village of Washington. Being the same real estate conveyed by Margaret Ott to Emory White and Mary White by deed dated April 17, 1914 and recorded in Volume 38, page 546. Also the following real estate situated in the County of Fayette in the State of Ohio and in the City of Washington and bounded and described as follows: Being a part of In-Lot 105 in said City beginning at a point in the line of an alley at the east corner of the premises purchased by grantees of said City and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the N. E. corner of said alley forty-one feet to a point in the line of said Paint Street; thence in an easterly direction with the line of said Hinkson and parallel, with said Paint Street fifty (50) feet to a point in said alley; thence in a westerly direction along the line of said alley forty-one feet to the place of beginning. Being the same premises conveyed by Margaret Ott to Emory White and Mary White by deed dated April 17, 1914 and recorded in Vol. 38, page 582. Both above tracts being transferred by Certificate to Mary White as recorded in Vol. 44, page 171 of Deed Records.

Awarded value of said real estate is Three Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$3,500.00).

Said real estate must be sold for not less than two-thirds of said appraised value, and the terms of said sale are: One-third Cash in hand on day of sale and the balance in cash upon delivery of Deed.

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